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Nobody who was hurt is likely to die.

Fred Kalpeoth, a Camden, N. J., musician, who was seriously hurt, was taken home this morning. His condition is critical.

FIGHTING THE FIGHT.

Ministers Denouncing the Fitzsimmons-Corbett Match.

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AUSTIN, Texas, July 11.—A delegation of the ministers of Austin have called upon the Governor and earnestly appealed to him to prevent the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight at Dallas, saying that it was a burning shame.

The Governor gave them a respectful hearing and assured them that if the provisions of the law were adequate that officers would see to it that the fight did not come off.

Ministers say that they want the law made adequate so as to prevent the fight.

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"LUMPY JAW."

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ROCHESTER, Minn., July 11.—Dr. J. P. Anderson, a leading veterinary surgeon here, after making a careful investigation, states that 50 per cent of the cattle in Olmstead county are affected with "lumpy jaw."

The results of his investigations are being reported to the State Board of Health and it is believed that stringent body to wipe out the disease.

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The meat of the cattle affected with lumpy jaw is unhealthy and its sale is forbidden by law.

What makes the matter serious for this district is that the shippers who are sending stock from here to the Chicago stock yards are undergoing heavy losses by having many of their animals shot as diseased upon their arrival there.

The disease only made its appearance in the West two years ago, but since then and especially in Southern Minnesota its spread has been rapid.

SPENCER SELECTED.

He Is to Be the Attorney of the Board of Health.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—The Evening Bulletin says Governor Budd has chosen Dennis Spencer of Napa as attorney for the Board of Health to succeed George A. Knight.

The latter claims Governor Markham appointed him under the statute authorizing the appointee to serve till his successor is elected.

The job, which was created for Knight, is worth $3,000 per year with nominal duties.

It was expected Budd would advise the abolition of this office.

THE NEWS CONFIRMED.

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BRAVE, BUT FOOLISH.

General Marti Charged on an Overwhelming Host.

Indignities Heaped on American Correspondents at Cuba.

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NEW YORK, July 11.—Frank Woodward, a Cuban correspondent, arrived today on the steamer Ardandhu, from Gibara, apparently none the worse for his trying experiences in Cuba.

Woodward after many weeks of hardships managed to reach Gibara.

He proceeded immediately to the United States consular agency, where he met Jose H. Beola, United States consular agent and an officer in the Spanish army.

Beola, Woodward asserts, treated him in a most discourteous manner, advising him to give himself up to the Spanish authorities, which would mean imprisonment for a long time.

He was compelled to seek the protection of the British flag aboard the tramp steamer Ardandhu, and through the kindness of Captain Walker managed to reach home alive.

Beola, Woodward says, refused to recognize him as an American citizen and declined to communicate with Santiago de Cuba, where, Mr. Woodward stated, his papers had been filed with Consul Hyatt. He declared that all American reporters were paid by Cubans to write lies.

Woodward tells the following story of the death of General Marti:

While Marti with about 200 Cubans was reconnoitering in the vicinity of Gibara he fell in with 2,000 Spanish troops drawn up on the banks of a small river.

The insurgent scouts were about to retreat when Marti ordered a charge.

The Spaniards, taken by surprise, formed a square.

General Marti, mounted on a large gray stallion, which he spurred furiously into a gallop, charged madly on the Spanish square, breaking down the ranks.

The horse plunged violently, goaded and pierced by the Spaniards' bayonets.

Marti was dragged from his horse, bayonet and riddled with bullets.

CONSTABLES ARE HOPEFUL.

The New Fee Bill Is on the Rack at San Jose.

SAN JOSE, Cal., July 11.—The new fee bill is under fire in the Superior court.

It is on trial before Judge Reynolds today on various allegations of unconstitutionality.

It cuts the fees of justices and constables so that they bring the suit.

They Compromised.

W. H. Jukes, a herculean West Oakland colored man, who battered a woman with whom he was living, paid $5 for costs of court this morning and the charge against him was dismissed as she did not wish to prosecute.

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HE IS PROGRESSIVE.

Street Superintendent Miller Talks of the City's Needs.

MANY IMPROVEMENTS NEEDED

The Council Should Cooperate by Raising the Cash.

ROADWAYS NEED ATTENTION

Street Sprinkling With Salt Water Should Be Tried.

M. K. Miller, the newly-appointed superintendent of streets, expects to enter upon the discharge of the duties of his office on Tuesday next, when he will have qualified, and it is expected the amount of his bond will be decided at the next meeting of the Council on Monday evening.

Mr. Miller is a native of Michigan. He is 31 years of age. He was educated in the Kansas State University and Rose Polytechnic Institute, Terre Haute, Ind., from which latter place he graduated in the class of 1885. He had completed a course in civil engineering and graduated with distinction, because, while pursuing his studies, he took occasion, whenever the opportunity afforded, to engage in practical and useful field work. In fact, Mr. Miller may be said to have studied engineering all his life, because, when a boy, before attaining to his higher education, he worked in the profession with his father.

After leaving the institute he became connected as chief engineer at Colorado Beach, where he worked with success for a year and a half until the bursting of the boom. He then worked with William Ham Hall, ex-State engineer of California, for a number of months in the hydrographic survey for the United States Government of Clear Lake. Next he did a great deal of construction work for corporations and municipalities, and all of great magnitude.

He acted as chief engineer of the Coos Bay, Rosebery & Eastern Railway, and located and laid out thirty miles of that road.

More recently he superintended the laying of thirty miles of sewers in Haywards which have reclaimed many parts of that town. This work was done under the direction of County Surveyor Nusbaumer, but Mr. Miller was engaged to superintend it. Since then Mr. Miller has superintended a number of public improvements in various places, in which he succeeded in having most valuable experience.

Speaking of his new duties and the needs of the city in the matter of public improvements, in response to a number of questions by a Tribune reporter, Mr. Miller said:

"I have made a special study of street work, and I feel that I am qualified to look after that and other kinds of work in this city. Two or three ordinances ought to be passed by the Council regulating the construction of street car tracks, the laying of sewers and water mains. Street railway companies ought to submit plans of the condition of the surface of streets to the city engineer. It is possible to so lay tracks and repair the surface afterward at the crossings so that a person in driving over them would not know whether there are rails there or not. In the matter of paving, it is a question where to begin and where to stop, there is so much to be said and so much to be done. The principal thing is to ascertain what the people want and what they are willing to pay for. Street work costs money, and if the money is not provided the street department will be impeded in the matter of street construction.

"I am very strongly in favor of bituminous rock for street pavement. It is to be commended from every point of view. It is noiseless, easy on horses, easily cleaned, and, therefore, for sanitary reasons, is especially to be desired. It has all the advantages and none of the disadvantages of other kinds of pavements. The cost, of course, is greater than macadam, but when its merits are considered, the cost will compare in reasonableness with that of macadam. It should be laid over a foundation of concrete when traffic is extensive. It is like throwing money away to lay it over worn-out macadam, as on Telegraph avenue.

"The principal advantages of macadam is its light cost, and for residence districts it is all right. It requires, however, constant care and attention, and the gutters easily fill with weeds and refuse and prevent sweeping. It is suitable in a residence district but should never be laid in the business part of the town.

"The street superintendent has also the general supervision of new sewers, and the maintenance of old sewers. I do not think there is anything special to be said about sewers now, but I have had a good deal of experience with them and I expect to be able to attend to that part of the work as well as may be required.

"I would like to say, as a matter of justice to the city engineer, that the people do not realize the importance of the office of the city engineer under the charter. As a member of the Board of Public Works, he is personally responsible for the faithful performance of the work ordered, and that is one reason why an engineer was placed at the head of the street department. The city engineer thus hoped to be relieved of a great deal of the detail of the work. This administration aims to accomplish something and hopes to do so if the proper amount of funds are provided. If the funds are provided something will be accomplished.

"Little funds are now available and I see no other way to obtain them unless by voting bonds. I cannot say how much ought to be voted. I shall be able to estimate the amount after I shall have assumed the duties of my office.

"As I understand it there are no regular employes in the street department. Men are employed when they are needed. I believe I have the selection of the men who are needed under the law, without dictation from the Board of Public Works."

Mr. Miller was asked if he would select the employes of the department with reference to their political or religious predeliction, and replied:

"One object I shall keep in view and that is to get men fitted for the positions they are to occupy. I shall not confine myself to any one class of people particularly or rigidly."

PROSPECTIVE WORK.

Asked at to what thoroughfares most needed repairs, Mr. Miller said:

"Telegraph avenue needs immediate attention. It is in a bad state and requires repairing. There is nothing serious, however. I do not know how much it would cost. There are quite a number of chuck holes that need filling, and there should be a re-surfacing to parts of the work.

"There is a great deal said about the repairing of Eighth and Twelfth streets leading out to the east. Something should be done in both these cases. It remains, however, for the council to provide the means. Twelfth street property owners object to bearing the expense or repairing that street. They say that they paved the street once and they feel that now that they have paid for the work once, the city should be compelled to keep the street in repair. My recollection of the law is that they could be compelled to pay for re-paving. The council, however, is unwilling to inflict a hardship on them.

"There has been a great deal of bad work done here in the past. The work has not been looked after. There ought to be a record kept in the office of the superintendent of streets of the work done. There should be a showing of the mileage of streets, improvements, kinds of pavement, materials in same, where purchased, and other features, so as to show what has been done, who has done good work and where material may be purchased at most reasonable rates. If such information has been tabulated I am not aware of it.

"The boulevard around Lake Merritt property should be carried out and as soon as possible. The boulevard could be made a feature of this part of the state. Many cities in the East have boulevards and several of them in this state, have them. The drive from Monterey along the sea coast through Pacific Grove and back again, a distance of seventeen miles, is one of the finest drives in the state. Santa Barbara has a boulevard. San Diego has one of the finest beach boulevards in the world. If the boulevard were constructed here, it would prove a pleasant drive for all, visitors as well as residents of the city. A people's pleasure drive is something Oakland does not possess today.

"There is room for saving in street sprinkling. The city has salt water on three sides. There is no reason why fresh water should be used on the streets. There are many advantages to be derived from the use of salt water. The bills for fresh water to the city annually amount to about $25,000 or $30,000. That amount of money would go a long way toward providing a plant to deliver salt water in various parts of the city, where it could be obtained readily for street sprinkling purposes. I intend to look into the matter and see what I can make out of it."

Speaking of the attaches of his office, Mr. Miller said:

"There is a deputy who will look after the outside work; a chief clerk and an assistant clerk. I have no voice in their selection. The Board of Public Works appoints them. I have no applicants for any of the places."

Marriage Not Abduction.

SAN JOSE, July 11.—Soon Her, the Chinese girl, who was abducted from Chinatown early yesterday morning, has been located. She has been married to Ham Ket Soon, one of her alleged abductors. City Justice Gass performed the ceremony.

MILLIONS REPRESENTED.

The Christian Endeavorers Convention at Boston.

An Enthusiastic Opening of the International Exercises.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

BOSTON, July 11.—About 500 enthusiastic Christian Endeavorers crowded the tent of the Endeavor today. Crimson and white streamers waved all over the tent, bunting being draped from the great center pole.

Flags and colors of all nations interspersed the streamers.

High above all the flags of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and the stars and stripes floated.

Upon the platform a grand chorus of 500 and the speakers and prominent members of the society were seated.

The chorus and delegates joined in singing until Rev. J. T. Breckley, D.D., of New York, opened the meeting according to the programme announcing the first hymn, "Onward Christian Soldiers."

Rev. W. H. Albright of Boston called for testimony by delegates.

For fifteen minutes from all parts of the house came words of praise to the Almighty and good tidings to the Endeavor Society.

Mr. Breckley was forced to announce the next number before all who desired had testified.

He called attention to the banner which hung over his head inscribed: "For Christ and Church, Welcome," and exhorted the hearers as they raised their voices to bear in mind they should never forget the work for Christ and the church.

A hymn of welcome, written for the occasion by Dr. S. F. Smith, author of "America," was sung.

A. J. Crockett, president of the Boston local union, welcomed the delegates.

Rev. M. R. Cheeseman, of Cleveland, Ohio, read the annual report.

Secretary John Willis Baer, of Boston, placed the total membership of the society at 2,473,740.

The welcome of the city pastors was extended by Rev. M. D. Kneeland, D.D.

In behalf of the state, Lieutenant Governor Roger Walcott, welcomed the delegates.

J. H. Barrows, D.D., of Chicago, responded to the welcome for Massachusetts and Boston.

A HERO DROWNED.

He Tried to Rescue Others and Went Under Too.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

NEW YORK, July 11.—Two men and two women were drowned in East river last night, as a result of recklessness.

A woman and one man were joggling and struggling on the pier and fell into the water.

Their names are unknown.

Michael O'Neill, a young steel engraver, who tried to rescue them, drowned with them.

NO USE CONTESTING.

Chief Schaffer Is Inclined to Submit to the Inevitable.

THE ODDS ARE FAR TOO MUCH.

Mayor Davie, Though, Still Keeps on His War Paint.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH FIGHT.

Dr. Loomis Spoken of as a Likely Man for Secretary.

Chief of Police Schaffer will leave today on a twelve days' vacation, which he will spend partly with his family at Sunol and partly on his ranch at Livermore.

"I have not positively determined as to whether or not I shall contest Lloyd's right to the office he said this morning, "but suppose I did contest it and won the case what would be the result? In the first place my relations with Commissioners Piersol and Wilson would be very unpleasant and in the next place what is to prevent them from preferring a trivial charge against me which would be sufficient in their eyes to warrant my removal. No, I can hardly see what I would gain in the end by contesting."

But Mayor Davie is not so easily satisfied with the turn affairs have taken. "According to the rules and regulations," he said today, "the new chief is ineligible to hold the position, but I will have to ask the City Attorney for his opinion as to the legality of the action of the Board in removing Schaffer before I can do anything. Funny, isn't it, to ask a man for a legal opinion as to his own acts when he has already said he considered he was right? It shows the fallacy of having the City Attorney a member of the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners. Well, anyhow, I shall endeavor to have the Board reconsider its action at the next meeting."

Meantime Schaffer's friends are very indignant at his removal and talk of calling an indignation meeting. F. R. Girard, the piano manufacturer, is a particularly warm friend of the deposed chief, and he only wants a meeting called at which he can express his feelings, but he has stopped his subscription to a paper which harshly criticised the chief and has taken his advertisements from others that displayed an unfriendly spirit towards him.

A number of the police force are feeling very nervous over the change of administration. Of course the rules of the department say that a man cannot be dismissed except for cause and after an examination before the Commissioners, but they argue that an unfriendly chief can easily find grounds on which to prefer charges. It has been said that the members of the American Protective Association have decided on the men that must be removed from the force on account of their religious affiliations, and a local paper has published what purports to be a list of those doomed, but this is looked upon as premature.

N. S. Douglas, who is secretary of the advisory board of the A. P. A., gained more or less notoriety by having his name signed to a document which purported to name the teachers which the Board of Education would remove, was asked concerning the report as to the police officers today. "I am no longer secretary of the advisory board," he said, "and therefore I cannot speak authoritatively, but my opinion is that there is no truth in the report as to contemplated removals."

Mr. Lloyd has not as yet called upon Chief Schaffer, and the latter says he does not desire to see him. The Council at its meeting next Monday evening will probably fix the bonds of M. K. Miller, the new superintendent of streets, who will then assume the duties of his office.

The mayor says he has washed his hands of the Board of Health imbroglio and will let the members of this department settle their troubles between themselves. The present board will meet tomorrow evening and if any of the members of the new board appear they will not be recognized, so says President Ackerly. It was expected that legal proceedings would be commenced today to test the right of the new appointees to sit.

In case there should be a change in secretaries Dr. Loomis, a retired physician, is said to be the choice of the new board.

ANGRY VETS.

Trouble is brewing among the members of the Union Veterans' League of Oakland and it is all on account of the appointment of Levi S. Bixby to the position of deputy street superintendent. Shortly after the city election the league met and endorsed George Hoguet for any position which the commissioners might give him and he was looked upon as a sure winner. But last Monday evening the league again met and besides indorsing Hoguet, also named J. A. Colquhoun, the president of the league, Andrew Wettstein, N. S. Douglas, Levi S. Bixby and C. N. Hitchcock. Now that no one except Bixby has received a position and he being an unlooked for victor, the balance of the candidates are feeling very discontented.

"It means that the league is defunct," said President Colquhon today. "The meeting Monday evening was a cut and dried affair and the man who got the appointment by reason of the indorsement was not by any means the most deserving. The meeting Monday evening adjourned to the call of the president, but I will not call another meeting, so that practically ends the existence of the league."

The latter has a membership of between 150 and 200, most of whom are members of the G. A. R.

FROM FAR AND NEAR.

The Day's Doings as Gleaned All Over the Country.

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STRIKERS SATISFIED.

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CHARGED WITH CROOKEDNESS.

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HAYWARDS MADE HAPPY.

MINNEAPOLIS, July 11.—The Supreme court has granted a stay of execution in the case of Harry Haywards, under death sentence for murder, until after the appeal can be heard at the October term.

NOTHING IN IT.

WASHINGTON, July 11.—A special to the Post from Norfolk, Va., says, the dispatch from that city printed yesterday stating that near Waphengrau, Va., a sailboat containing thirteen excursionists capsized and six were drowned was a fake.

SALVINI MUST PAY UP.

DENVER, July 11.—A verdict was given in the District court today awarding to Belle Archer, the San Francisco actress, $1,546 in the suit against Alexander Salvini, Jr., for salary for herself and husband while members of Salvini's company in 1890.

THE METAL MARKET.

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A FOOL'S WORK.

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NOT IN DEMAND NOW.

But the Supply of "Hobos" Is About the Same.

One of the Peculiar Results of the New Fee Bill.

The county jail has a dearth of occupants. The roll of prisoners is smaller now than for many months past. Sheriff White had registered there today only fifty-four persons as against an average of eighty-five before the new fee bill went into effect. The new law cuts constables' fees about 50 per cent and the falling off in prisoners is due to the fact that these peace officers have not been assiduous in locking up tramps and vagrants within their respective bailiwicks as formerly.

Sheriff White says there are very few "hobos" arriving at his hostelry nowadays and he attributes it as due entirely to the operation of the fee bill.

The incentive to round up the peripatetics is lacking to a great extent and the constables are willing to overlook the tramps unless they become too obnoxious.

Hitherto there was a constant stream of "weary walkers" escorted into the jail, but the tramp seeks some consolation nowadays from the law that appears to be indirectly operating in his favor.

Sheriff White is allowed 20 cents a day by the county to feed each prisoner in his charge. The county, however, secures a rebate in the case United States prisoners whose sustenance is paid for by the government. On this allowance the sheriff keeps the jail going. If the expense is greater the balance must be paid from his own pocket. At present the cost is about even with the income.

SQUARING HIMSELF.

Ambassador Eustis Says He Was Not Properly Quoted.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

PARIS, July 11.—Le Figaro this morning publishes a statement from James B. Eustis, United States ambassador to France, in which he says: "The fact is now recalled to my memory that Secretary Vignaud introduced M. Routier to me May 13th not as a journalist but as a writer.

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Discussing the affair a newspaper remarks: "It would not require many incidents, especially in view of the effect which it produced in Spain, to lead to serious complications with the United States. The fault rests entirely with the United States, which, by carrying out the application of the Monroe doctrine to abuse, and by the iniquity of their intervention disturb European nations and injure in the end their most legitimate interests."

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It Is Not Thought That Any Injured Will Die.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., July 11.—Mayor Stoy reports that all those injured by the collapse of the floor of the Casino during the social session of the Elks last night are doing well.

Nobody who was hurt is likely to die.

Fred Kalpeoth; a Camden, N. J., musician, who was seriously hurt, was taken home this morning. His condition is critical.

FIGHTING THE FIGHT.

Ministers Denouncing the Fitzsimmons-Corbett Match.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

AUSTIN, Texas, July 11.—A delegation of the ministers of Austin have called upon the Governor and earnestly appealed to him to prevent the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight at Dallas, saying that it was a burning shame.

The Governor gave them a respectful hearing and assured them that if the provisions of the law were adequate that officers would see to it that the fight did not come off.

Ministers say that they want the law made adequate so as to prevent the fight.

Dyspepsia cured by using Adams' Tutti-Frutti Chewing Gum after each meal.

"LUMPY JAW."

An Unpleasant Disease Among Minnesota Cattle.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ROCHESTER, Minn., July 11.—Dr. J. P. Anderson, a leading veterinary surgeon here, after making a careful investigation, states that 50 per cent of the cattle in Olmstead county are affected with "lumpy jaw."

The results of his investigations are being reported to the State Board of Health and it is believed that stringent body to wipe out the disease.

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The meat of the cattle affected with lumpy jaw is unhealthy and its sale is forbidden by law.

What makes the matter serious for this district is that the shippers who are sending stock from here to the Chicago stock yards are undergoing heavy losses by having many of their animals shot as diseased upon their arrival there.

The diease only made its appearance in the West two years ago, but since then and especially in Southern Minnesota its spread has been rapid.

SPENCER SELECTED.

He Is to Be the Attorney of the Board of Health.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—The Evening Bulletin says Governor Budd has chosen Dennis Spencer of Napa as attorney for the Board of Health to succeed George A. Knight.

The latter claims Governor Markham appointed him under the statute authorizing the appointee to serve till his successor is elected.

The job, which was created for Knight, is worth $3,000 per year with nominal duties.

It was expected Budd would advise the abolition of this office.

THE NEWS CONFIRMED.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., July 11.—The Governor has appointed Dennis Spencer attirney of the Board of Health, San Francisco.

BRAVE, BUT FOOLISH.

General Marti Charged on an Overwhelming Host.

Indignities Heaped on American Correspondents at Cuba.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, July 11.—Frank Woodward, a Cuban correspondent, arrived today on the steamer Ardandhu, from Gibara, apparently none the worse for his trying experiences in Cuba.

Woodward after many weeks of hardships managed to reach Gibara.

He proceeded immediately to the United States consular agency, where he met Jose H. Beola, United States consular agent and an officer in the Spanish army.

Beola, Woodward asserts, treated him in a most discourteous manner, advising him to give himself up to the Spanish authorities, which would mean imprisonment for a long time.

He was compelled to seek the protection of the British flag aboard the tramp steamer Ardandhu, and through the kindness of Captain Walker managed to reach home alive.

Beola, Woodward says, refused to recognize him as an American citizen and declined to communicate with Santiago de Cuba, where, Mr. Woodward stated, his papers had been filed with Consul Hyatt. He declared that all American reporters were paid by Cubans to write lies.

Woodward tells the following story of the death of General Marti:

While Marti with about 200 Cubans was reconnoitering in the vicinity of Gibara he fell in with 2,000 Spanish troops drawn up on the banks of a small river.

The insurgent scouts were about to retreat when Marti ordered a charge.

The Spaniards, taken by surprise, formed a square.

General Marti, mounted on a large gray stallion, which he spurred furiously into a gallop, charged madly on the Spanish square, breaking down the ranks.

The horse plunged violently, goaded and pierced by the Spaniards' bayonets.

Marti was dragged from his horse, bayonet and riddled with bullets.

CONSTABLES ARE HOPEFUL.

The New Fee Bill Is on the Rack at San Jose.

SAN JOSE, Cal., July 11.—The new fee bill is under fire in the Superior court.

It is on trial before Judge Reynolds today on various allegations of unconstitutionality.

It cuts the fees of justices and constables so that they bring the suit.

They Compromised.

W. H. Jukes, a herculean West Oakland colored man, who battered a woman with whom he was living, paid $5 for costs of court this morning and the charge against him was dismissed as she did not wish to prosecute.

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HE IS PROGRESSIVE.

Street Superintendent Miller Talks of the City's Needs.

MANY IMPROVEMENTS NEEDED

The Council Should Cooperate by Raising the Cash.

ROADWAYS NEED ATTENTION

Street Sprinkling With Salt Water Should Be Tried.

M. K. Miller, the newly-appointed superintendent of streets, expects to enter upon the discharge of the duties of his office on Tuesday next, when he will have qualified, and it is expected the amount of his bond will be decided at the next meeting of the Council on Monday evening.

Mr. Miller is a native of Michigan. He is 31 years of age. He was educated in the Kansas State University and Rose Polytechnic Institute, Terre Haute, Ind., from which latter place he graduated in the class of 1885. He had completed a course in civil engineering and graduated with distinction, because, while pursuing his studies, he took occasion, whenever the opportunity afforded, to engage in practical and useful field work. In fact, Mr. Miller may be said to have studied engineering all his life, because, when a boy, before attaining to his higher education, he worked in the profession with his father.

After leaving the institute he became connected as chief engineer at Colorado Beach, where he worked with success for a year and a half until the bursting of the boom. He then worked with William Ham Hall, ex-State engineer of California, for a number of months in the hydrographic survey for the United States Government of Clear Lake. Next he did a great deal of construction work for corporations and municipalities, and all of great magnitude.

He acted as chief engineer of the Coos Bay, Rosebery & Eastern Railway, and located and laid out thirty miles of that road.

More recently he superintended the laying of thirty miles of sewers in Haywards which have reclaimed many parts of that town. This work was done under the direction of County Surveyor Nusbaumer, but Mr. Miller was engaged to superintend it. Since then Mr. Miller has superintended a number of public improvements in various places, in which he succeeded in having most valuable experience.

Speaking of his new duties and the needs of the city in the matter of public improvements, in response to a number of questions by a Tribune reporter, Mr. Miller said.

"I have made a special study of street work, and I feel that I am qualified to look after that and other kinds of work in this city. Two or three ordinances ought to be passed by the Council regulating the construction of street car tracks, the laying of sewers and water mains. Street railway companies ought to submit plans of the condition of the surface of streets to the city engineer. It is possible to so lay tracks and repair the surface afterward at the crossings so that a person in driving over them would not know whether there are rails there or not. In the matter of paving, it is a question where to begin and where to stop, there is so much to be said and so much to be done. The principal thing is to ascertain what the people want and what they are willing to pay for. Street work costs money, and if the money is not provided the street department will be impeded in the matter of street construction.

"I am very strongly in favor of bituminous rock for street pavement. It is to be commended from every point of view. It is noiseless, easy on horses, easily cleaned, and, therefore, for sanitary reasons, is especially to be desired. It has all the advantages and none of the disadvantages of other kinds of pavements. The cost, of course, is greater than macadam, but when its merits are considered, the cost will compare in reasonableness with that of macadam. It should be laid over a foundation of concrete when traffic is extensive. It is like throwing money away to lay it over worn-out macadam, as on Telegraph avenue.

"The principal advantages of macadam is its light cost, and for residence districts it is all right. It requires, however, constant care and attention, and the gutters easily fill with weeds and refuse and prevent sweeping. It is suitable in a residence district but should never be laid in the business part of the town.

"The street superintendent has also the general supervision of new sewers, and the maintenance of old sewers. I do not think there is anything special to be said about sewers now, but I have had a good deal of experience with them and I expect to be able to attend to that part of the work as well as may be required.

"I would like to say, as a matter of justice to the city engineer, that the people do not realize the importance of the office of the city engineer under the charter. As a member of the Board of Public Works, he is personally responsible for the faithful performance of the work ordered, and that is one reason why an engineer was placed at the head of the street department. The city engineer thus hoped to be relieved of a great deal of the detail of the work. This administration aims to accomplish something and hopes to do so if the proper amount of funds are provided. If the funds are provided something will be accomplished.

"Little funds are now available and I see no other way to obtain them unless by voting bonds. I cannot say how much ought to be voted. I shall be able to estimate the amount after I shall have assumed the duties of my office.

"As I understand it there are no regular employes in the street department. Men are employed when they are needed. I believe I have the selection of the men who are needed under the law, without dictation from the Board of Public Works."

Mr. Miller was asked if he would select the employes of the department with reference to their political or religious prediction, and replied:

"One object I shall keep in view and that is to get men fitted for the positions they are to occupy. I shall not confine myself to any one class of people particularly or rigidly."

PROSPECTIVE WORK.

Asked as to what thoroughfares most needed repairs, Mr. Miller said:

"Telegraph avenue needs immediate attention. It is in a bad state and requires repairing. There is nothing serious, however. I do not know how much it would cost. There are quite a number of chuck holes that need filling, and there should be a re-surfacing to parts of the work.

"There is a great deal said about the repairing of Eighth and Twelfth streets leading out to the east. Something should be done in both these cases. It remains, however, for the council to provide the means. Twelfth street property owners object to bearing the expense or repairing that street. They say that they paved the street once and they feel that now that they have paid for the work once, the city should be compelled to keep the street in repair. My recollection of the law is that they could be compelled to pay for re-paving. The council, however, is unwilling to inflict a hardship on them.

"There has been a great deal of bad work done here in the past. The work has not been looked after. There ought to be a record kept in the office of the superintendent of streets of the work done. There should be a showing of the mileage of streets, improvements, kinds of pavement, materials in same, where purchased, and other features, so as to show what has been done, who has done good work and where material may be purchased at most reasonable rates. If such information has been tabulated I am not aware of it.

"The boulevard around Lake Merritt property should be carried out and as soon as possible. The boulevard could be made a feature of this part of the state. Many cities in the East have boulevards and several of them in this state, have them. The drive from Monterey along the sea coast through Pacific Grove and back again, a distance of seventeen miles, is one of the finest drives in the state. Santa Barbara has a boulevard. San Diego has one of the finest beach boulevards in the world. If the boulevard were constructed here, it would prove a pleasant drive for all, visitors as well as residents of the city. A people's pleasure drive is something Oakland does not possess today.

"There is room for saving in street sprinkling. The city has salt water on three sides. There is no reason why fresh water should be used on the streets. There are many advantages to be derived from the use of salt water. The bills for fresh water to the city annually amount to about $25,000 or $30,000. That amount of money would go a long way toward providing a plant to deliver salt water in various parts of the city, where it could be obtained readily for street sprinkling purposes. I intend to look into the matter and see what I can make out of it."

Speaking of the attaches of his office, Mr. Miller said:

"There is a deputy who will look after the outside work; a chief clerk and an assistant clerk. I have no voice in their selection. The Board of Public Works appoints them. I have no applicants for any of the places."

Marriage Not Abduction.

SAN JOSE, July 11.—Soon Her, the Chinese girl, who was abducted from Chinatown early yesterday morning, has been located. She has been married to Ham Ket Soon, one of her alleged abductors. City Justice Gass performed the ceremony.

MILLIONS REPRESENTED.

The Christian Endeavorers Convention at Boston.

An Enthusiastic Opening of the International Exercises.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

BOSTON, July 11.—About 500 enthusiastic Christian Endeavorers crowded the tent of the Endeavor today. Crimson and white streamers waved all over the tent, bunting being draped from the great center pole.

Flags and colors of all nations interspersed the streamers.

High above all the flags of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and the stars and stripes floated.

Upon the platform a grand chorus of 500 and the speakers and prominent members of the society were seated.

The chorus and delegates joined in singing until Rev. J. T. Breckley, D.D., of New York, opened the meeting according to the programme announcing the first hymn, "Onward Christian Soldiers."

Rev. W. H. Albright of Boston called for testimony by delegates.

For fifteen minutes from all parts of the house came words of praise to the Almighty and good tidings to the Endeavor Society.

Mr. Breckley was forced to announce the next number before all who desired had testified.

He called attention to the banner which hung over his head inscribed: "For Christ and Church, Welcome," and exhorted the hearers as they raised their voices to bear in mind they should never forget the work for Christ and the church.

A hymn of welcome, written for the occasion by Dr. S. F. Smith, author of "America," was sung.

A. J. Crockett, president of the Boston local union, welcomed the delegates.

Rev. M. R. Cheeseman, of Cleveland, Ohio, read the annual report.

Secretary John Willis Baer, of Boston, placed the total membership of the society at 2,473,740.

The welcome of the city pastors was extended by Rev. M. D. Kneeland, D.D.

In behalf of the state, Lieutenant Governor Roger Walcott, welcomed the delegates.

J. H. Barrows, D.D., of Chicago, responded to the welcome for Massachusetts and Boston.

A HERO DROWNED.

He Tried to Rescue Others and Went Under Too.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

NEW YORK, July 11.—Two men and two women were drowned in East river last night, as a result of recklessness.

A woman and one man were joggling and struggling on the pier and fell into the water.

Their names are unknown.

Michael O'Neill, a young steel engraver, who tried to rescue them, drowned with them.

Use Adams' Tutti-Frutti Chewing Gum.

NO USE CONTESTING.

Chief Schaffer Is Inclined to Submit to the Inevitable.

THE ODDS ARE FAR TOO MUCH.

Mayor Davie, Though, Still Keeps on His War Paint.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH FIGHT.

Dr. Loomis Spoken of as a Likely Man for Secretary.

Chief of Police Schaffer will leave today on a twelve days' vacation, which he will spend partly with his family at Sunol and partly on his ranch at Livermore.

"I have not positively determined as to whether or not I shall contest Lloyd's right to the office he said this morning, "but suppose I did contest it and won the case what would be the result? In the first place my relations with Commissioners Piersol and Wilson would be very unpleasant and in the next place what is to prevent them from preferring a trivial charge against me which would be sufficient in their eyes to warrant my removal. No, I can hardly see what I would gain in the end by contesting."

But Mayor Davie is not so easily satisfied with the turn affairs have taken. "According to the rules and regulations," he said today, "the new chief is ineligible to hold the position, but I will have to ask the City Attorney for his opinion as to the legality of the action of the Board in removing Schaffer before I can do anything. Funny, isn't it, to ask a man for a legal opinion as to his own acts when he has already said he considered he was right? It shows the fallacy of having the City Attorney a member of the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners. Well, anyhow, I shall endeavor to have the Board reconsider its action at the next meeting."

Meantime Schaffer's friends are very indignant at his removal and talk of calling an indignation meeting. F. R. Girard, the piano manufacturer, is a particularly warm friend of the deposed chief, and he only wants a meeting called at which he can express his feelings, but he has stopped his subscription to a paper which harshly criticised the chief and has taken his advertisements from others that displayed an unfriendly spirit towards him.

A number of the police force are feeling very nervous over the change of administration. Of course the rules of the department say that a man cannot be dismissed except for cause and after an examination before the Commissioners, but they argue that an unfriendly chief can easily find grounds on which to prefer charges. It has been said that the members of the American Protective Association have decided on the men that must be removed from the force on account of their religious affiliations, and a local paper has published what purports to be a list of those doomed, but this is looked upon as premature.

N. S. Douglas, who is secretary of the advisory board of the A. P. A., gained more or less notoriety by having his name signed to a document which purported to name the teachers which the Board of Education would remove, was asked concerning the report as to the police officers today. "I am no longer secretary of the advisory board," he said, "and therefore I cannot speak authoritatively, but my opinion is that there is no truth in the report as to contemplated removals."

Mr. Lloyd has not as yet called upon Chief Schaffer, and the latter says he does not desire to see him. The Council at its meeting next Monday evening will probably fix the bonds of M. K. Miller, the new superintendent of streets, who will then assume the duties of his office.

The mayor says he has washed his hands of the Board of Health imbroglio and will let the members of this department settle their troubles between themselves. The present board will meet tomorrow evening and if any of the members of the new board appear they will not be recognized, so says President Ackerly. It was expected that legal proceedings would be commenced today to test the right of the new appointees to sit.

In case there should be a change in secretaries Dr. Loomis, a retired physician, is said to be the choice of the new board.

ANGRY VETS.

Trouble is brewing among the members of the Union Veterans' League of Oakland and it is all on account of the appointment of Levi S. Bixby to the position of deputy street superintendent. Shortly after the city election the league met and endorsed George Hoguet for any position which the commissioners might give him and he was looked upon as a sure winner. But last Monday evening the league again met and besides indorsing Hoguet, also named J. A. Colquhoun, the president of the league, Andrew Wettstein, N. S. Douglas, Levi S. Bixby and C. N. Hitchcock. Now that no one except Bixby has received a position and he being an unlooked for victor, the balance of the candidates are feeling very discontented.

"It means that the league is defunct," said President Colquhon today. "The meeting Monday evening was a cut and dried affair and the man who got the appointment by reason of the indorsement was not by any means the most deserving. The meeting Monday evening adjourned to the call of the president, but I will not call another meeting, so that practically ends the existence of the league."

The latter has a membership of between 150 and 200, most of whom are members of the G. A. R.

FROM FAR AND NEAR.

The Day's Doings as Gleaned All Over the Country.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., July 11.—United States Commissioner George H. Walker has ordered the deportation of six Chinese arrested by customs officers at the Lawrence frontier a week ago.

STRIKERS SATISFIED.

WELCH, W. Va., July 11.—The Elkhorn strikers today laid down their guns. They resolved to have a peaceful settlement with the operators if any.

CHARGED WITH CROOKEDNESS.

CHICAGO, July 11.—The failure of the Leader departmental store took a sensational turn today when Carl Beernberg, Lipman Glick and Joseph Harner, members of the insolvent firm, were taken into custody upon an affidavit made by J. V. Farwell & Co., charging them with making false statements regarding their credit. They were released on heavy bonds.

HAYWARDS MADE HAPPY.

MINNEAPOLIS, July 11.—The Supreme court has granted a stay of execution in the case of Harry Haywards, under death sentence for murder, until after the appeal can be heard at the October term.

NOTHING IN IT.

WASHINGTON, July 11.—A special to the Post from Norfolk, Va., says the dispatch from that city printed yesterday stating that near Waphepgrau, Va., a sailboat containing thirteen excursionists capsized and six were drowned was a fake.

SALVINI MUST PAY UP.

DENVER, July 11.—A verdict was given in the District court today awarding to Belle Archer, the San Francisco actress, $1,516 in the suit against Alexander Salvini, Jr., for salary for herself and husband while members of Salvini's company in 1890.

THE METAL MARKET.

NEW YORK, July 11.—Silver, 66⅞c; lead, $3.12½.

A FOOL'S WORK.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., July 11.—John Hoch, an ex-convict, today shot and killed Minnie Ingersol, aged 16, who rejected his attentions, and fatally wounded Nicholas Strife, an aged farm hand, who was with her. When cornered Hoch shot himself in the head. He may recover.

NOT IN DEMAND NOW.

But the Supply of "Hobos" Is About the Same.

One of the Peculiar Results of the New Fee Bill.

The county jail has a dearth of occupants. The roll of prisoners is smaller now than for many months past. Sheriff White had registered there today only fifty-four persons as against an average of eighty-five before the new fee bill went into effect. The new law cuts constables' fees about 50 per cent and the falling off in prisoners is due to the fact that these peace officers have not been assiduous in locking up tramps and vagrants within their respective bailiwicks as formerly.

Sheriff White says there are very few "hobos" arriving at his hostelry nowadays and he attributes it as due entirely to the operation of the fee bill.

The incentive to round up the peripatetics is lacking to a great extent and the constables are willing to overlook the tramps unless they become too obnoxious.

Hitherto there was a constant stream of "weary walkers" escorted into the jail, but the tramp seeks some consolation nowadays from the law that appears to be indirectly operating in his favor.

Sheriff White is allowed 20 cents a day by the county to feed each prisoner in his charge. The county, however, secures a rebate in the case United States prisoners whose sustenance is paid for by the government. On this allowance the sheriff keeps the jail going. If the expense is greater the balance must be paid from his own pocket At present the cost is about even witif the income.

SQUARING HIMSELF.

Ambassador Eustis Says He Was Not Properly Quoted.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

PARIS, July 11.—Le Figaro this morning publishes a statement from James B. Eustis, United States ambassador to France, in which he says: "The fact is now recalled to my memory that Secretary Vignaud introduced M. Routier to me May 13th not as a journalist but as a writer.

"According to my custom I had a conversation with him, but I certainly did not authorize him to publish it.

"He did not tell me he had such intention, and if he had I should have forbidden him, as would have been my duty, to divulge anything of our conversation.

"I did not use the language Routier attributes to me, and I do not understand why Routier thought he had a right to invite me to discuss delicate questions of international politics."

Discussing the affair a newspaper remarks: "It would not require many incidents, especially in view of the effect which it produced in Spain, to lead to serious complications with the United States. The fault rests entirely with the United States, which, by carrying out the application of the Monroe doctrine to abuse, and by the iniquity of their intervention disturb European nations and injure in the end their most legitimate interests."

THE TEACHERS TALK.

Wise Ideas on Education by Many Prominent Thinkers.

AN ADDRESS BY EARL BARNES.

Suggestions for Improvement of Scholastic Methods.

THE ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

Good Men Chosen by the Convention at Denver.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

DENVER, July 11.—The National Educational Association today elected the following officers: President, N. C. Dougherty, Peoria, Ill.; secretary, Irwin Shepard, Winona, Minn.; treasurer, I. C. McNeill, Kansas City, Mo.; first vice president, N. M. Butler, New York City.

Among the vice presidents are: E. F. McElroy, Portland, Ore.; T. B. Lewis, Ogden, Utah.

Among the directors are: Earl Barnes, California; F. B. Gault, Idaho; John M. Hamilton, Montana; J. E. Stubbs, Nevada; J. H. Ackerman, Oregon; W. R. Malone, Utah; A. L. Putnam, Wyoming.

General subject papers for the morning session was "The Duty and Opportunity of Schools Promoting Patriotism and Good Citizenship."

Joseph Baldwin of Austin, Texas, treated the subject of the "Patriotism of Southland." He said the people of the South rejoiced today that the lost cause was lost. The great question in the South was the lifting up of the colored race to citizenship and it was being done. He spoke in defense of the whites in restricting political rights of the blacks.

EARL BARNES' ADDRESS.

Professor Earl Barnes of Stanford University read the following paper and "The Instruction and Improvement of Teachers Now at Work in the Schools."

"What work is actually being done today in teachers' classes in America? Who should lead the teachers' class, the superintendent, special teachers in the department or outside lecturers or teachers? Should the subject matter be academic, i.e., science, literature or art, or should it be professional? If professional, what place should be given to the history of education, to educational classics, to the questions of school organization, management or methods, to class room experimentation?

"In method it is best to take up a generalization and work out applications to class room conditions, or is it best to gather up details and work out generalizations?

"How can the practical details of time, work, pay for the instructor, etc., be arranged?

"The difficulties in teachers classes are largely from the following conditions:

"The teachers in any school department have very different degrees of ability and training, and different ranges of interest, thus making it difficult to adjust the work to the needs of the class.

"Good leaders are not always available and with a poor leader under the partly compulsory conditions of attendance that will always prevail, a great deal of time is often wasted, and the meetings often degenerate into petty debating societies.

"The rewards and punishments almost unavoidably connected with such a class, in the way of position and advancement, often lead to overwork, dissatisfaction and petty jealousies.

"Teachers' classes, if properly conducted, may lead to the following advantages:

"They enable the superintendent to detect genius, draw it out and use it to advantage.

"They introduce the student spirit into the teacher's work; this spirit alone can give strength and value to such meetings.

"They give opportunity for free discussions, and for the development of the spirit of give and take, so necessary in a school department.

"They give unity and purpose to the work of the school department."

TRUE CITIZENSHIP.

George H. Martin, supervisor of schools, Boston, Mass., addressed the association on "New Standards of Patriotic Citizenship." He said:

"Five hundred years of history have become crystallized in our American notion of patriotism. Feudalism, villainage, serfdom, chattel slavery and constitutional absolutism have one after another gone down in fight.

"Blazing across the sky has been the legend, 'The Rights of Man.' For a hundred years to American children, Bunker hill has been preserved as a type of patriotism in the concrete. A patriot is a man who loves his country and is ready to fight for it. All our patriotic literature has the same ring, and so have the songs we sing. As a perpetual stimulus to this emotion, we have put the flag over all our school houses, and have taught our children to salute it.

"What does it all mean; and what is to be the outcome of it all? The practical question is: Shall this sentiment of patriotism be allowed to expend itself in mere effervescence, or shall its energy be transmuted into useful work? Shall men and women be ambitious to be themselves fathers and mothers rather than sons and daughters of revolution. In a word, shall our people be willing to live for their country while they are waiting to die for it?

"To bring about this change will necessitate new standards of patriotism. We must move from the fifteenth century to the twentieth. Instead of class distinctions embodied in the laws and customs we must see legal, social equality. And we must see that a great independent nation will not have to fight over the old battles, but meet new enemies and call for new weapons.

"When we have come to know what these new enemies are, we shall realize that the work of patriotism is no longer a struggle with prielpalities and powers, but against spiritual wickedness in high places.

"Our work, therefore, in the education of the young for citizenship, will be three-sided. We shall need fire to get beneath the manifestations of patriotic emotions in the past to the essential and underlaying principles. Next, we shall need to show what are the peculiar perils of our country today.

"And third, we must teach how these enemies are to be met and conquered; in other words, how the old spirit must manifest itself under the new conditions. It will be our business to teach that our foes are those of our own household; that idleness, intemperance, luxury and extravagance may destroy a people, that a venal ballot and a corrupt judiciary may throw down in a night all the bulwarks of good government.

"Wicked men on the bench may light their pipes with Magna Charta and the bill of rights and state and national constitutions, and combinations of men may make or unmake laws for selfish purposes and under the guise of laws for the people the people may be oppressed. The twentieth century patriot must be, first of all, of sound manhood. We must limit the two extremes in which two classes of our citizens develop—the overfed and the hungry and ragged idlers, both alike preying on the public.

"Next the new patriotism will recognize in a substantial way the mutual obligations which grow out of the interdependence of men in society. Fair dealing must be its supreme characteristic and it must be shot through the spirit of the golden rule. The whole industrial system today is practically in the hands of irresponsible agents. The new patriotism will penetrate the core of this system and bring back to it the sense of personal responsibility which it has lost.

"By this standard will the patriotism of men be measured. Are they willing for the public good, for the country's sake, to sacrifice private interests of time and money and thought; to sink partisan prejudices and to unite with all other men similarly inclined in an alliance offensive and defensive for good government, business government?

Will they vote? Will they go to caucuses? Will they take municipal offices? Will they serve on juries? Will they fight the saloon and the gambling interest on their own ground? Will they fight the spoilsmen in their own party? Will they demand and fight for it—first, last and all the time—clean men and clean measures?"

ETHICS OF PATRIOTISM.

A. P. Marble spoke as follows on "The Ethics of Patriotism."

"1 The word patriotism is derived from a root that signifies to protect, and in its secondary sense, to feed. To protect and to provide are the fundamental ideas of patriotism. This protection was at first exercised by the patriarch or father of the family.

"2. With the growth of families, this fundamental idea was extended to the tribe or gens; and

"3. After further extension, the idea embraced the several peoples of the same origin and language; till finally

"4. The idea has come to embrace great nations with a common interest.

"5. With the spread of civilization, this idea of patriotism has taken on a broader meaning. From families of individuals or races, we now consider families of nations, and what first embraced only people of one family now embraces humanity. The original idea was essentially selfish in a narrow sense. Gradually the idea was broadened, but it has been and still is essentially selfish. The extended notion of patriotism has gradually become more altruistic, and its future development will still further develop the altruistic idea.

"Already there is a community of educated, enlightened, broad minded men, whose patriotism embraces the whole world of man; while holding a warmer place in their hearts for the country where they live. It is the duty of schools to cultivate this broad, all comprehending patriotism."

"THE OLD HOMESTEAD."

A Play That Touches by Its Simple, Yet Effective Naturalness.

As it will be several years before "The Old Homestead" will be seen here again, many who have thus far put off spending an evening with Uncle Josh and his visiting friends from New England will take advantage of the last performances. Uncle Josh and his neighbors, Cy Prime and Seth Perkins, together with the other persons forming the family circle at the old homestead, seem to be as entertaining to the masses as ever, and at each performance a regret is felt that the curtain drops so soon on the finals, cutting short the evening which has brought so many happy thoughts and such wholesome entertainment. The play is staged so minutely and correctly as to invest it with an intense naturalness.

The stage setting in the last act of "The Old Homestead" is said to be wonderfully true to life. The big sitting room with the blazing logs on the hearth is an admirable picture. Above the spacious fireplaces are stretched streams of dried apples, and vegetables adorn convenient nooks. A big cupboard stands off to one side with a shining array of milk pans on its top, and in the corner is the old-fashioned grandfather's clock. In the center of these surroundings old Seth and Cy are playing a game of checkers for the championship of Chesshire county. Old Cy wins the game and has to "crow about it" in the presence of the object of their mutual admiration. This precipitates a quarrel which almost results in blows when Uncle Joshua steps into the breach to the great relief of both beligerents. Then follows a war of words at long range, and the shots which the old gentlemen fire at each other from a distance forms some of the funniest incidents of the play.

The sale of seats, now in progress at the Macdonough theater box office, indicate that the five performances will be very largely attended. The engagement will commence next Monday evening. There will be a special matinee on Wednesday.

PROTESTS COME IN.

The Board of Equalization Has Lots of Work Now.

The County Board of Equalization has received the applications for the reduction of assessments.

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Mr. Perez, who owns 50 feet of improved property on the east side of Broadway between Sixth and Seventh streets, asked that the assessment be reduced from $14,500 to $11,800. Messrs. Breed and McDonald testified as experts to show that the assessment was too high. The application was taken under advisement.

Mr. Potter asked that the assessment on his property be reduced from $3000 to $2500. The reduction was made by the board.

The hearing of the application of the Alameda Water Company was set for Friday at 10 o'clock.

Mr. Rogers asked for a reduction from $59,000 to $43,000 on the property on Twelfth and Franklin street. Messrs. Dingee and Breed and McDonald testified that the lot was worth $40,0000, while one of Dalton's deputies testified that the house was worth $27,500. The board took the application under advisement.

Mr. Nichols acting as Mrs. Mary Boyd's agent asked for a reduction from $110,350 to $90,000 in the assessment on the property on Tenth and Washington streets. Messrs. Dingee and Breed testified showing Dalton's figures to be nearly correct. Further hearing was set for Monday at 2 o'clock.

Victoria Walcott filed an application to have her assessment on property on Campbell street near Twelfth street, West Oakland, reduced from $2800 to $2400. The hearing was set for Monday at 2 o'clock.

L. W. Storrer representing the Pacific Postal Telegraph Company asked for a reduction from $22,500 to $8,400.

Theodore Meetz asked for a reduction from $8000 to $6000.

James Adams got a reduction from $10,000 to $9000 on his property in San Leandro.

Henry Rodgers asked for a reduction from $59,000 to $43,000 on the Merritt House. The board granted a reduction to $50,000.

Mrs. Nichols asked for a reduction of the assessment on her property on Ninth and Washington streets. The application was taken under advisement.

The board then adjourned until Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

Good meat makes muscle and brains. We have it. Marble Market, 34 San Pablo avenue.

FIVE DAYS' EXTENSION.

The State Equalization Board Sends in an Order.

No Request Has Been Forwarded by the Officials Here.

The State Board of Equalization has ordered an extension of time for the session of the county board and there is much wonder expressed over the move. The county board has made no effort to sit beyond the time fixed by law, which would elapse next Monday, had not the following communication been received today by County Auditor Whidden and turned over to County Clerk Jordan.

To the Auditor of Alameda County:—I Charles M. Coglan, clerk of the State Board of Equalization, do hereby certify that the following is a copy of an order made by said board and entered upon its minutes:

"It is hereby ordered that the time of the County Board of Equalization of Alameda County, to equalize the property in the county for 1895, be extended to and including Saturday, July 20, 1895."

Please notify the chairman and clerk of receipt of this.

Respectfully,

Charles M. Coglan,

Clerk State Board of Equalization.

The extension of the time thus ordered by the State board is five days.

The communication was withheld for a time today until a question of the authority of the State board to order the extension could be settled. It was found, however, that section 3[illegible] of the Political Code, as amended by the last legislature, gave ample room for the order. It provides that the State Board has authority to extend the time for twenty days.

The minutes of the county board show that no request was made by its members for an extension. Assessor Dalton is at a loss to know why the action was taken, he was of the opinion that the board would conclude its labors by next Monday, the legal time for adjournment in case no extension was had.

The board will be in session again tomorrow and current gossip has it that the long-expected battle of the railroad and other large assessments will be commenced. Both Dalton and County Clerk Jordan have heard in a general way that the applications of the large corporations will be filed tomorrow and that the fight will then be on.

"I think tomorrow's meeting will be a very important one," said Clerk Jordan today. "It looks very much as if the fur would fly."

Assessor Dalton says he will have a small army of experts on land and other property values on hand to demonstrate the correctness of his assessments. "I am perfectly confident," he said, "that my figures are correct and I am prepared to present evidence. I do not care to be quoted as saying that there will be anything happen but I have heard from several sources that the corporations are getting ready for a big fight."

Among new complaints asking for a reduction filed today with the board were the following: William Clift of a brick block on Twelfth street between Broadway and Washington streets, from $12,500 to $10,000.

E. Barnett, on various parcels of land from $14,500 to $13,508.

A CLEVER COMBINATION.

Architects McManus and Stanley Have Become Partners.

Ed. C. McManus and J. J. Stanley have formed a partnership under the title of McManus & Stanley. Oakland possesses many architects of note, but none more talented than the above firm. Although young men they have had long experience. Mr. McManus was four years manager of the Clay street mills and was especially detailed to the drafting department, where his skill and talents brought him to the favorable notice of builders and contractors.

J. J. Stanley has had years of experience among the best architects of San Francisco. While with Mr. Mau he did the drafting for the fine building of St. Mary's College in this city and many beautiful residences both in San Francisco and here. Both are Oakland young men, and the success they have attained is very flattering to their known ability.

The projected arch which was to have been erected for the Fourth of July celebration was accepted by the committee, but owing to the great cost it was reluctantly decided not to erect it. Their offices are located in the Canning building, rooms 26 and 27.

HIT OFTEN

The Rough Treatment Which a Magnetic Healer Received.

"How many times did they hit you?"

"Oh, about twenty-five, and they knocked me down five times."

So answered Dr. W. W. Williams in the Police court, when testifying as to the circumstances of the alleged felonious assault which he was accused of committing upon Minnie Crouse, a sewing girl.

The doctor said he was a magnetic healer and resided in San Francisco, but visited Oakland twice a week. He said he had attended among others in this city V. D. Moody, the banker, and James A. Johnson, ex-city attorney, who was acting as his counsel. The testimony of the prosecuting witness seemed to indicate that young Flores, in whose family she was living, was very jealous of her and kept careful watch of her movements. While the old doctor was giving the young lady his usual form of treatment a few days ago young Flores and his father broke in upon them and beat the defendant as he described. Not satisfied with this they demanded $100 and when he refused to pay, sent him to the city prison. Judge Wood dismissed the charge against the old man.

THE BODY WAS GONE.

What a Small Boy Found on the West Oakland Beach.

Coroner Baldwin is investigating a rather curious report of the finding of a body near the mole yesterday. Albert McBride, a twelve-year-old boy, is the one who claims to have found the body. He says it was floating in the water at the time when he was engaged in gathering driftwood. In appearance, he says, it was the body of a boy about six years old and fully dressed. He called a bystander on the beach to help him secure the body and then went home to notify his mother. When he returned it was gone, and it is supposed the person who assisted him took it to San Francisco, where the county pays the finder of a body $10, instead of $5, as in this county. The police have not been notified of the loss of any child answering the description of the one found.

HEAVY DAMAGES.

Henry Phillips Seeks to Recover for His Wife's Death.

An amended complaint was filed this afternoon in the suit of Henry Phillips and others against the Southern Pacific Company to recover $31,500 damages for the death of Mrs. Phillips, who sustained injuries in a collision on the Seventh street local in October, 1893.

A LEAD PIPE CINCH.

James Brock Took It and He Must Now Tell Why.

Railroad Gossip and General Cleanings at the Point.

WEST OAKLAND, July 11.—Owing to the clever work of Police Officers Keefe, Boyer and Powers, James Brock, a notorious young hoodlum, who haunts the vicinity of Fifteenth and Cypress streets with other toughs, was taken into custody at 11 o'clock last night.

The police have been after Brock for several weeks, but he always ran away when he saw an officers approaching, and as he did not sleep at home the authorities had a rather hard time in apprehending him. Officers Keefe says that he will place five charges of petty larceny against the young man. As yet only a charge of vagrancy has been registered opposite his name on the prison book.

The officers assert that Brock has stolen milk and bread from several door steps during the past month. He is also accused of stealing a large quantity of lead pipe from a vacant house.

In addition to this Brock has given his parents, who are very respectable people, no end of trouble. They have been kind to him but he never appreciated it and heaped abuse and insult upon them. He ran away from home several times and when he would return he would resume his old tactics of heartily treating his parents.

His parents say that he is incorrigable and are anxious to have his commited to a reformatory. They endeavored to have this done some time ago, but the Police Judge decided to give him another chance. Since then he has steadily grown worse and seems to have an ambition to become a rival of Evans and Sontag. He is vicious and declared that he would have resisted arrest only that he was taken by surprise. He was sleeping in an outhouse in the rear of Banker Miller's residence at Fourteenth and Poplar, when the officers surrounded the building and captured him. In the Police court this morning the vagrancy case was continued until tomorrow. He will in all probability be sent either to Whittier or Ione where he will have an opportunity to reform.

BREVITIES.

Assistant Division Superintendent Joe Thompson of the Southern Pacific Company is in Sacramento today on business connected with the road.

Detective Wallace of the railroad company at the mole is suffering from an attack of the grip.

The Free Reading room on Seventh street near Willow has been newly fitted up and many interesting periodicals and other reading matter can be found there. Residents of West Oakland can secure books upon the Public Library through the reading room free of charge.

A new signal post Nos. 23½ to 25½ has ben placed in the yards at the pier at the junction switch to tracks Nos. 7 and 8. These signals will be given to trains and engines out of Nos. 7 and 8 tracks. Signals 27 and 28 will only be used for trains or locomotives on the local tracks.

Carloads of water melons are now beginning to arrive. The crop this year is quite large and the prices will probably be somewhat lower than last season.

Everything is going along very quietly in railroad circles today.

Deputy Constable Tom Gilmartin made another capture this morning. He spotted John Lynch, a tramp, who beat his way from Maine, on the "blind baggage," and arrested him for evading payment of railroad fare. He caught him near Butchertown.

It is rumored about the Point station this morning that William F. Revalk, the popular young merchandise broker and politician, will soon become a benedict. The bride's name could not be ascertained, but she is said to be one of West Oakland's fairest daughters.

A BULLET IN HIS BACK.

But Everett Spencer Does Not Seem to Mind It at All.

There is a young man at the Receiving Hospital who is giving the physicians some cause for discussion. He is Everett Spencer and he has a bullet in his back that does not seem to be worrying him in the slightest. He was shot several days ago by Deputy Sheriff Joe Leirl at Shellmound Park. When the wounded lad was taken to the hospital an effort was made to locate the bullet by probing, but the quest was unsuccessful.

The following day a second attempt was to be made, but the wound was causing Spencer no special inconvenience and the surgeons decided not to perform any further operations in search of the hidden missle.

The case is rather unusual as the bullet is supposed to be lodged very close to the spinal column. Spencer is improving very rapidly and it is thought will leave the hospital in a very short time. He will if no unfavorable symptoms assert themselves, be free to go about his ordinary avocations notwithstanding a good sized chunk of lead is embedded somewhere beyond the reach of the surgeon's probe.

Steward Victory takes special pride in this patient as he is a demonstration of the careful treatment accorded inmates of the institution.

AXES AND KNIVES.

Chinese Highbinders Have a Hot Set-to at Denver.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

DENVER, July 11.—Shortly before noon today the policemen were sent in a hurry to the Chinese quarter in response to a riot call.

About twenty Chinese were doing battle with axes, knives and clubs, and stones, but on the approach of the patrol wagon, they sought hiding places.

Sam Lung Wah, proprietor of an opium joint, was found with severe wounds on his head, which may cause his death.

He had been struck with an ax by My Gow, a business rival, whose place had been raided he believed at the instigation of Sam.

The other rioters were followers of these two leaders.

My Gow has not yet been caught.

THE PRIZE BABY OF KANSAS CITY MO.

Cured of Disfiguring ECZEMA By the CUTICURA REMEDIES

Our baby when three weeks old was badly afflicted with Eczema. Her head, arms, neck, limbs, and nearly every joint in her body was raw and bleeding when we concluded to try CUTICURA REMEDIES. We began with CUTICURA (ointment) and CUTICURA SOAP, and after the first application we could see a change. After we had used them one week some of the sores had healed entirely, and ceased to spread. In less than a month, she was free from scales and blemishes, and to-day has as lovely skin and hair as any child. She was shown at the Grange Fair, and took a premium as the prettiest baby, over sixteen others. MR. & MRS. PARR, 1609 Bellevieew Ave., Kan. City. Sold everywhere. POTTER DRUG & CHEM. CORP., Boston.

TO BE FOUGHT FOR.

The Los Angeles Land Case Not Finally Settled.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, July 11.—The land office officials take it for granted that the case involving the ownership of lands in Los Angeles county, Cal., recently decided in favor of the United States by the United States Circuit court, will be appealed to the Supreme court by the Southern Pacific railroad company.

The grant in question was an overlapping one.

It is not probable the lands will be thrown open to settlement until the matter can be decided in a court of last resort.

THE CLOSING CHAPTER.

Seth Richard in Eternal Slumber at Mountain View.

The funeral of Seth Richard, the well-known capitalist, took place from his late residence, corner of Orchard and Webster street, this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The remains lay in a rich, black cloth-covered casket which rested on supports in the parlor. The display of floral tributes was modest but expensive, comprising a few beautiful wreaths of white roses, sheaves of wheat and St. Joseph lilies.

There was no choral music in the exercises, the services consisting of the reading of a few mortuary psalms, a simple, yet tender and eloquent address and a prayer, all by Rev. Dr. Moore of the Pacific Theological Seminary.

At the conclusion of the prayer, a final leave was taken of the deceased by his relatives and friends.

The pall-bearers were J. West Martin, Cary Howard, Z. T. Gilpin, Arthur P. Alexander, J. B. McDonald, and Guy C. Earl.

Among those noted at the funeral were: Dr. Wythe, Wm. Moller, A. W. Moore, David Hewes, C. K. Marshall, Isaac Merrill, Jacob Greenhood, George T. Hawley, Guy Earl, John N. Whytlaw, Henry H. Foster.

The funeral was directed by Albert Brown.

A TOWN DOOMED.

Williams, Arizona, Visited by a Furious Blaze.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

DENVER, July 11.—A special to the Times from Albuquerque, N. M., says: The town of Williams, on the Atlantic & Pacific railroad, is burning.

The fire broke out on First street at 8 A. M. today, and two blocks of the business portion are now in ashes.

The fire originated from a gasoline stove exploding.

The town is without a fire department.

A bucket brigade formed by the citizens was inadequate to stem the flames.

The loss already amounts to at least $50,000.

A high wind is blowing from the south and the flames are sweeping everything.

SIEDENTOPF'S SEARCH.

He Has Not Yet Secured All the Bondsmen That Are Necessary.

W. H. Siedentopf spent a large portion of last night and today in a search for bondsmen to replace James Butler and J. H. O'Brien, the sureties who withdrew yesterday. Siedentopf up to a late hour today had not secured his men. He is under charges on four indictments and the bonds aggregate $6000. His sureties must qualify in double that amount. Up to noon he had succeeded in securing a portion of the amount necessary to be represented upon the bond.

MRS. PORTER'S WILL.

A Small Estate to Be Divided Among Relatives.

The will of the late Mrs. Margaret E. M. Porter was filed for probate today. The estate is valued at $1500. A lot in Los Gatos and personal effects are bequeathed to Mrs. Harriet M. Leach, a daughter of the deceased. Stock in the Central Bank is devised to Margaret H. and Nellie M. Leach, granddaughters. Interest upon the balance of the property is left for the support of decedent's husband. Upon his death $500 is to be given to each of her sons, Albert and Henry Porter. Henry C. Taft and Derwent Kirkland are named as executors.

TIRED OF LIFE.

A Rancher Ends His Existence by Taking Poison.

Some time during yesterday H. F. C. Rainey committed suicide on a ranch near the wayside resort of Joe Dieves, on the San Leandro road. The deceased was a Kentuckian by birth, 50 years of age and a former resident of San Francisco, where he attended the Howard street Presbyterian church.

The poison used was strychnine which had been kept for killing gophers. The coroner telegraphed to a brother of the deceased supposed to be living in St. Louis, but is was returned unanswered. An inquest will be held today.

TOWN TOPICS.

The third annual meeting of the Pacific Coast Gas Association will be held in San Francisco on the 16th and 17th inst. C. W. Quilty is the president and John A. Britton the secretary of the association.

The appointment of G. F. Sprague as a special police officer was filed today.

Enterprise Lodge No. 298, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, will have their new officers installed this evening in their hall at Twenty-second and Grove streets, by the district deputy grand master.

Chief Schaffer has issued an order changing the beats of the various police officers.

Henry Leach forfeited $2 in the police court today for violating the bicycle ordinance.

F. Collischonn, a deaf, dumb and blind man, was arrested in Alameda this afternoon and lodged in the county jail to await examination as to his sanity.

Will Marry a Conductor.

A license was issued today by the County Clerk authorizing the marriage of Charles Star, a conductor in the employ of the Piedmont line, and Miss Lulu Freeman, aged 18 years. Mr. Stark is 22 years of age and quite popular.

SOME RAPID RIDING.

Amateur Wheelmen Race at the Asbury Park Track.

The Best Talent of the Country Competing on Cycles.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ASBURY PARK, July 11.—Excellent weather for racing was the good fortune of the wheelmen here today.

The trial heats began with a mile race for novices, of which two Denver riders, Donald McKay and E. W. Swanbrough, each took one.

In the fourth heat of the half-mile open race six riders fell, but none were badly hurt.

In the two-mile national championship race R. C. Coulter won the first heat in 5:05 1-5; Arthur Gardiner second in 5:12 1-5, Nat Butler third in 5:17 4-5; Kiser, Dayton, O., fourth in 5:57 3-5.

Four men started in the fifth and sixth heats (amalgamated). Harry Davidson, Bradford, Pa., won in 5:21 1-5.

The seventh heat was won by Harry E. Caldwell, New Hampshire, in 5:19. A shower fell during this heat and it will be ridden over.

William Terrill, of Syracuse, won the eighth heat in 5:13 4-5.

The winners of the trial heats in the two-mile handicap were Baldwin, of Paterson, N. J.; Ruppert, New York; Abel, Arlington, N. J.; Winters, Tonawanda; Shinn, Lakewood; Hoyt, Bridgeport.

When racing was resumed this afternoon a nasty drizzling rain was falling.

The attendance, however, was much larger than in the forenoon.

The results are:

One mile novice, class A, first, gold medal, $20, second, silver medal, $10—C. C. Dirnberger, Buffalo, N. Y., first; Donald McKay, Denver, second; time, 2:37 1-5.

Two-mile handicap, class "A"—W. G. Douglass, New York Athletic club (30 yards) first; A. W. Abel, Arlington (200 yards) second; time, 4:33.

Final heat, half mile, open—Arthur Gardiner, Chicago, first; E. H. Allen, Syracuse, second; time, 1:10 3-5.

Half mile open, final heat—C. M. Ertz, New York, first; Tom Butler, Bridgeport, second; time, 1:31 1-5.

Two-mile championship, final heat—Mays and Saunders, tandem, paced the first mile and Johnson brothers second. Nat Butler, Boston, first; Arthur Gardiner, Chicago, second; C. R. Coulter, Toledo, third; time, 4:26; seven started.

One mile tandem, class A—First heat, H. E. Caldwell, Manchester and Nat Butler, Boston, first; H. K. and Nat Roe, Patchoque, L. I., second. Time, 2:16 3-5. Four teams started.

One mile open with pace-makers, class B—E. C. E. Bald, Buffalo, first; F. J. Titus, New York, second; F. H. Allen, Syracuse, third. Time, 2:07 3-5.

One mile tandem, final—Caldwell and Butler, won; Henshaw and Owen, second. Time, 2:30 1-5.

One mile professional race paced by A. A. Zimmerman and Harry Wheeler. P. J. Berto, Boston, first; J. A. Starbuck, Riverton, second; H. E. Bartholomew, Riverton, third; R. P. McCurdy, Philadelphia, fourth. Time, 2:18 3-5. Seven started.

WILL RECALL THE DAY.

Splendid Photos of the Parade Taken by Tabor.

Taber, the photographer of 121 Post street, San Francisco, photographed every important feature of the Fourth of July procession in Oakland and has copies of all of them now on sale. Among the features are the following:

School children's float.
Red Men's float, Pocahontas.
Independent Order of Red Men.
Battle Field, G. A. R.
Fifth Regiment, N. G. C.
Knights of Pythias.
Rebekah at the Well, Odd Fellows.
Goddess of Liberty.
Fire Works at Lake Merritt.
Ancient Order of United Workmen's float.
Locomotive Engineers.
The Boston Tea Party, Osceola tribe, No. 71.
Junior Order of American Mechanics.
The head of the procession at Fourteenth and Broadway.
Fort Sumter, G. A. R.
The Frigate Constitution.
Camp scene, Ancient Order of Foresters.
Acme Athletic Club.
Signing the Declaration of Independence, Young Men's Institute.
Journeymen Butchers' Association.
Woodmen of the World.

A NEW PAPER.

Councilman Bassett Proposes to Become a Publisher.

Councilman J. M. Bassett is contemplating the publication of a local newspaper which will support the present administration in city affairs. Mr. Bassett is a forcible writer and could tell some very interesting facts in such a paper as he proposes to issue. His "Old Pard" letters on C. P. Huntington and the Central Pacific railroad have gained him more than a state reputation.

Money for Teachers.

The primary and grammar school teachers have been directed by the City Superintendent to call at County Superintendent Garlick's office Monday and receive their warrants. The last half of the State apportionment amounting to $44,408.64 has been received. The high school teachers will not receive their salary for some time yet.

Municipal Meetings.

The Finance Committee and committee on Furniture and Supplies of the Board of Education will hold a meeting tomorrow evening, preliminary to the meeting of the Board of Education on Monday evening.

The Street Committee of the City Council will hold a meeting this evening.

Dishes to let by Schellhaas.

Well! This spring lamb is delicious. Where did you get it? Marble Market, 34 San Pablo avenue.

C. W. Kinsey, Dealer in Modern New and Second-Hand Furniture.

Carpets and ranges retailed at low prices for cash. Will pay cash for or exchange good modern furniture in any quantity. Makes auction sales on premises. Call and see.

C. W. KINSEY, General Auctioneer.
462-464 Thirteenth.

FOR SALE—A GOOD SIDE SPRING top buggy, cheap. Apply to Wm. Stone, 1139 E. 19th st., near 3rd avenue.

TO RENT—FAMILY GOING EAST for several months wishes to find party that will take house and board two of the family towards rent. Address box 414, Postoffice.

THE TEACHERS TALK.

Wise Ideas on Education by Many Prominent Thinkers.

AN ADDRESS BY EARL BARNES.

Suggestions for Improvement of Scholastic Methods.

THE ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

Good Men Chosen by the Convention at Denver.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

DENVER, July 11.—The National Educational Association today elected the following officers President, N. C. Dougherty, Peoria, Ill.; secretary, Irwin Shepard, Winona, Minn. treasurer, I. C. McNeill, Kansas City, Mo.; first vice president, N. M. Butler, New York City.

Among the vice presidents are E. F. McElroy, Portland, Ore; T. B. Lewis, Ogden, Utah.

Among the directors are: Earl Barnes, California; F. B. Gault, Idaho, John M. Hamilton, Montana; J. E. Stubbs, Nevada, J. H. Ackerman, Oregon, W. R. Malone, Utah; A. L. Putnam, Wyoming.

General subject papers for the morning session was "The Duty and Opportunity of Schools Promoting Patriotism and Good Citizenship."

Joseph Baldwin of Austin, Texas, treated the suoject of the "Patriotism of Southland." He said the people of the South rejoiced today that the lost cause was lost. The great question in the South was the lifting up of the colored race to citizenship and it was being done. He spoke in defense of the whites in restricting political rights of the blacks.

EARL BARNES' ADDRESS.

Professor Earl Barnes of Stanford University read the following paper and "The Instruction and Improvement of Teachers Now at Work in the Schools."

"What work is actually being done today in teachers' classes in America? Who should lead the teachers' class, the superintendent, special teachers in the department or outside lecturers or teachers? Should the subject matter be academic, i.e., science, literature or art, or should it be professional? If professional, what place should be given to the history of education, to educational classics, to the questions of school organization, management or methods, to class room experimentation?

"In method it is best to take up a generalization and work out applications to class room conditions, or is it best to gather up details and work out generalizations?

"How can the practical details of time, work, pay for the instructor, etc., be arranged?

"The difficulties in teachers classes are largely from the following conditions.

"The teachers in any school department have very different degrees of ability and training, and different ranges of interest, thus making it difficult to adjust the work to the needs of the class.

"Good leaders are not always available and with a poor leader under the partly compulsory conditions of attendance that will always prevail, a great deal of time is often wasted, and the meetings often degenerate into petty debating societies.

"The rewards and punishments almost unavoidably connected with such a class in the way of position and advancement, often lead to overwork, dissatisfaction and petty jealousies.

"Teachers' classes, if properly conducted, may lead to the following advantages:

"They enable the superintendent to detect genius, draw it out and use it to advantage.

"They introduce the student spirit into the teacher's work this spirit alone can give strength and value to such meetings.

"They give opportunity for free discussions, and for the development of the spirit of give and take, so necessary in a school department.

"They give unity and purpose to the work of the school department."

TRUE CITIZENSHIP.

George H. Martin supervisor of schools, Boston, Mass., addressed the association on "New Standards of Patriotic Citizenship." He said:

"Five hundred years of history have become crystallized in our American notion of patriotism. Feudalism, villainage, serfdom, chattel slavery and constitutional absolutism have one after another gone down in fight.

"Blazing across the sky has been the legend, 'The Rights of Man.' For a hundred years to American children, Bunker hill has been preserved as a type of patriotism in the concrete. A patriot is a man who loves his country and is ready to fight for it. All our patriotic literature has the same ring and so have the songs we sing. As a perpetual stimulus to this emotion, we have put the flag over all our school houses, and have taught our children to salute it.

"What does it all mean; and what is to be the outcome of it all? The practical question is: Shall this sentiment of patriotism be allowed to expend itself in mere effervescence, or shall its energy be transmuted into useful work? Shall men and women be ambitious to be themselves fathers and mothers rather than sons and daughters of revolution. In a word, shall our people be willing to live for their country while they are waiting to die for it?

"To bring about this change will necessitate new standards of patriotism. We must move from the fifteenth century to the twentieth. Instead of class distinctions embodied in the laws and customs we must see legal, social equality. And we must see that a great independent nation will not have to fight over the old battles, but meet new enemies and call for new weapons.

"When we have come to know what these new enemies are, we shall realize that the work of patriotism is no longer a struggle with pricipalities and powers, but against spiritual wickedness in high places.

"Our work, therefore, in the education of the young for citizenship, will be three-sided. We shall need fire to get beneath the manifestations of patriotic emotions in the past to the essential and underlaying principles. Next, we shall need to show what are the peculiar perils of our country today.

"And third, we must teach how these enemies are to be met and conquered in other words, how the old spirit must manifest itself under the new conditions. It will be our business to teach that our foes are those of our own household; that idleness, intemperance, luxury and extravagance may destroy a people, that a venal ballot and a corrupt judiciary may throw down in a night all the bulwarks of good government.

"Wicked men on the bench may light their pipes with Magna Charta and the bill of rights and state and national constitutions, and combinations of men may make or unmake laws for selfish purposes and under the guise of laws for the people the people may be oppressed. The twentieth century patriot must be, first of all, of sound manhood. We must limit the two extremes in which two classes of our citizens develop—the overfed and the hungry and ragged idlers, both alike preying on the public.

"Next the new patriotism will recognize in a substantial way the mutual obligations which grow out of the interdependence of men in society. Fair dealing must be its supreme characteristic and it must be shot through the spirit of the golden rule. The whole industrial system today is practically in the hands of irresponsible agents. The new patriotism will penetrate the core of this system and bring back to it the sense of personal responsibility which it has lost.

"By this standard will the patriotism of men be measured. Are they willing for the public good, for the country's sake, to sacrifice private interests of time and money and thought; to sink partisan prejudices and to unite with all other men similarly inclined in an alliance offensive and defensive for good government, business government?

Will they vote? Will they go to caucuses? Will they take municipal offices? Will they serve on juries? Will they fight the saloon and the gambling interest on their own ground? Will they fight the spoilsmen in their own party? Will they demand and fight for it—first, last and all the time—clean men and clean measures?"

ETHICS OF PATRIOTISM

A. P. Marble spoke as follows on "The Ethics of Patriotism."

"1 The word patriotism is derived from a root that signifies to protect, and in its secondary sense, to feed. To protect and to provide are the fundamental ideas of patriotism. This protection was at first exercised by the patriarch or father of the family.

"2. With the growth of families, this fundamental idea was extended to the tribe or gens and

"3 After further extension, the idea embraced the several peoples of the same origin and language till finally

"4 The idea has come to embrace great nations with a common interest.

"5 With the spread of civilization, this idea of patriotism has taken on a broader meaning. From families of individuals or races, we now consider families of nations, and what first embraced only people of one family now embraces humanity. The original idea was essentially selfish in a narrow sense. Gradually the idea was broadened, but it has been and still is essentially selfish. The extended notion of patriotism has gradually become more altruistic, and its future development will still further develop the altruistic idea.

"Already there is a community of educated, enlightened, broad minded men, whose patriotism embraces the whole world of man while holding a warmer place in their hearts for the country where they live. It is the duty of schools to cultivate this broad, all comprehending patriotism."

"THE OLD HOMESTEAD."

A Play That Touches by Its Simple, Yet Effective Naturalness.

As it will be several years before "The Old Homestead" will be seen here again, many who have thus far put off spending an evening with Uncle Josh and his visiting friends from New England will take advantage of the last performances. Uncle Josh and his neighbors, Cy Prime and Seth Perkins, together with the other persons forming the family circle at the old homestead, seem to be as entertaining to the masses as ever, and at each performance a regret is felt that the curtain drops so soon on the finals, cutting short the evening which has brought so many happy thoughts and such wholesome entertainment. The play is staged so minutely and correctly as to invest it with an intense naturalness.

The stage setting in the last act of "The Old Homestead" is said to be wonderfully true to life. The big sitting room with the blazing logs on the hearth is an admirable picture. Above the spacious fireplaces are stretched streams of dried apples, and vegetables adorn convenient nooks. A big cupboard stands off to one side with a shining array of milk pans on its top, and in the corner is the old-fashioned grandfather's clock. In the center of these surroundings old Seth and Cy are playing a game of checkers for the championship of Chesshire county. Old Cy wins the game and has to "crow about it" in the presence of the object of their mutual admiration. This precipitates a quarrel which almost results in blows when Uncle Joshua steps into the breach to the great relief of both beligerents. Then follows a war of words at long range, and the shots which the old gentlemen fire at each other from a distance forms some of the funniest incidents of the play.

The sale of seats now in progress at the Macdonough theater box office, indicate that the five performances will be very largely attended. The engagement will commence next Monday evening. There will be a special matinee on Wednesday.

PROTESTS COME IN.

The Board of Equalization Has Lots of Work Now.

The County Board of Equalization has received the applications for the reduction of assessments.

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Mr. Perez, who owns 40 feet of improved property on the east side of Broadway between Sixth and Seventh streets, asked that the assessment be reduced from $14,500 to $11,800. Messrs. Breed and McDonald testified as experts to show that the assessment was too high. The application was taken under advisement.

Mr. Potter asked that the assessment on his property be reduced from $3000 to $2500. The reduction was made by the board.

The hearing of the application of the Alameda Water Company was set for Friday at 10 o'clock.

Mr. Rogers asked for a reduction from $39,000 to $18,000 on the property on Twelfth and Franklin street. Messrs. Dingee and Breed and McDonald testified that the lot was worth $40,0000, while one of Dalton's deputies testified that the house was worth $27,500. The board took the application under advisement.

Mr. Nichols acting as Mrs. Mary Boyd's agent asked for a reduction from $110,250 to $90,000 in the assessment on the property on Tenth and Washington streets. Messrs. Dingee and Breed testified showing Dalton's figures to be nearly correct. Further hearing was set for Monday at 2 o'clock.

Victoria Walcott filed an application to have her assessment on property on Campbell street near Twelfth street, West Oakland, reduced from $2800 to $2400. The hearing was set for Monday at 2 o'clock.

L. W. Storrer representing the Pacific Postal Telegraph Company asked for a reduction from $22,500 to $8,400.

Theodore Meets asked for a reduction from $8000 to $6000.

James Adams got a reduction from $10,000 to $9000 on his property in San Leandro.

Henry Rodgers asked for a reduction from $59,000 to $43,000 on the Merritt House. The board granted a reduction to $60,000.

Mrs. Nichols asked for a reduction of the assessment on her property on Ninth and Washington streets. The application was taken under advisement.

The board then adjourned until Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

Good meat makes muscle and brains. We have it. Marble Market, 34 San Pablo avenue.

FIVE DAYS' EXTENSION.

The State Equalization Board Sends in an Order.

No Request Has Been Forwarded by the Officials Here.

The State Board of Equalization has ordered an extension of time for the session of the county board and there is much wonder expressed over the move. The county board has made no effort to sit beyond the time fixed by law, which would elapse next Monday, had not the following communication been received today by County Auditor Whidden and turned over to County Clerk Jordan.

To the Auditor of Alameda County:—I, Charles M. Coglan, clerk of the State Board of Equalization, do hereby certify that the following is a copy of an order made by said board and entered upon its minutes:

"It is hereby ordered that the time of the County Board of Equalization of Alameda County, to equalize the property in the county for 1895, be extended to and including Saturday, July 20, 1895."

Please notify the chairman and clerk of receipt of this.

Respectfully,

Charles M. Coglan,
Clerk State Board of Equalization.

The extension of the time thus ordered by the State board is five days.

The communication was withheld for a time today until a question of the authority of the State board to order the extension could be settled. It was found however, that section 3070 of the Political Code, as amended by the last legislature gave ample room for the order. It provides that the State Board on authority to extend the time for twenty days.

The minutes of the county board show that no request was made by its members for an extension. Assessor Dalton is at a loss to know why the order was taken, he was of the opinion that the board would conclude its labors by next Monday, the legal time for adjournment in case no extension was had.

The board will be in session again tomorrow and current gossip has it that the long-expected battle of the railroad and other large assessments will be commenced. Both Dalton and County Clerk Jordan have heard in a general way that the applications of the large corporations will be filed tomorrow and that the fight will then be on.

"I think tomorrow's meeting will be a very important one," said Clerk Jordan today. "It looks very much as if the fur would fly."

Assessor Dalton says he will have a small army of experts on land and other property values on hand to demonstrate the correctness of his assessments. "I am perfectly confident," he said, "that my figures are correct and I am prepared to present evidence. I do not care to be quoted as saying that there will be anything happen but I have heard from several sources that the corporations are getting ready for a big fight."

Among new complaints asking for a reduction filed today with the board were the following: William Cluff of a brick block on Twelfth street between Broadway and Washington streets, from $12,500 to $10,000.

E. Barnett, on various parcels of land from $14,500 to $13,608.

A CLEVER COMBINATION.

Architects McManus and Stanley Have Become Partners.

Ed. C. McManus and J. J. Stanley have formed a partnership under the title of McManus & Stanley. Oakland possesses many architects of note, but none more talented than the above firm. Although young men they have had long experience. Mr. McManus was four years manager of the Clay street mills and was especially detailed to the drafting department, where his skill and talents brought him to the favorable notice of builders and contractors.

J. J. Stanley has had years of experience among the best architects of San Francisco. While with Mr Mau he did the drafting for the fine building of St. Mary's College in this city and many beautiful residences both in San Francisco and here. Both are Oakland young men, and the success they have attained is very flattering to their known ability.

The projected arch which was to have been erected for the Fourth of July celebration was accepted by the committee, but owing to the great cost it was reluctantly decided not to erect it. Their offices are located in the Canning building, rooms 26 and 27.

HIT OFTEN

The Rough Treatment Which a Magnetic Healer Received.

"How many times did they hit you?"

"Oh, about twenty-five, and they knocked me down five times."

So answered Dr. W. W. Williams in the Police court, when testifying as to the circumstances of the alleged felonious assault which he was accused of committing upon Minnie Crouse, a sewing girl.

The doctor said he was a magnetic healer and resided in San Francisco, but visited Oakland twice a week. He said he had attended among others in this city V. D. Moody, the banker, and James A. Johnson, ex-city attorney, who was acting as his counsel. The testimony of the prosecuting witness seemed to indicate that young Flores in whose family she was living, was very jealous of her and kept a careful watch of her movements. While the old doctor was giving the young lady his usual form of treatment a few days ago young Flores and his father broke in upon them and beat the defendant as he described. Not satisfied with this they demanded $100 and when he refused to pay, sent him to the city prison. Judge Wood dismissed the charge against the old man.

THE BODY WAS GONE.

What a Small Boy Found on the West Oakland Beach.

Coroner Baldwin is investigating a rather curious report of the finding of a body near the mole yesterday. Albert McBride, a twelve-year-old boy, is the one who claims to have found the body. He says it was floating in the water at the time when he was engaged in gathering driftwood. In appearance, he says, it was the body of a boy about six years old and fully dressed. He called a bystander on the beach to help him secure the body and then went home to notify his mother. When he returned it was gone, and it is supposed the person who assisted him took it to San Francisco, where the county pays the finder of a body $10, instead of $5, as in this county. The police have not been notified of the loss of any child answering the description of the one found.

HEAVY DAMAGES.

Henry Phillips Seeks to Recover for His Wife's Death.

An amended complaint was filed this afternoon in the suit of Henry Phillips and others against the Southern Pacific Company to recover $31,500 damages for the death of Mrs. Phillips, who sustained injuries in a collision on the Seventh street local in October, 1893.

A LEAD PIPE CINCH.

James Brock Took It and He Must Now Tell Why.

Railroad Gossip and General Gleanings at the Point.

WEST OAKLAND, July 11.—Owing to the clever work of Police Officers Keefe, Boyer and Powers, James Brock, a notorious young hoodlum who haunts the vicinity of Fifteenth and Cypress streets with other toughs, was taken into custody at 11 o'clock last night.

The police have been after Brock for several weeks, but he always ran away when he saw an officers approaching, and as he did not sleep at home the authorities had a rather hard time in apprehending him. Officers Keefe says that he will place five charges of petty larceny against the young man. As yet only a charge of vagrancy has been registered opposite his name on the prison book.

The officers assert that Brock has stolen milk and bread from several door steps during the past month. He is also accused of stealing a large quantity of lead pipe from a vacant house.

In addition to this Brock has given his parents, who are very respectable people, no end of trouble. They have been kind to him but he never appreciated it and heaped abuse and insult upon them. He ran away from home several times and when he would return he would resume his old tactics of behaving toward his parents.

His parents say that he is incorrigable and are anxious to have his commited to a reformatory. They endeavored to have this done some time ago, but the Police Judge decided to give him another chance. Since then he has steadily grown worse and seems to have the ambition to become a rival of Evans and Sontag. He is vicious and declared that he would have resisted arrest only that he was taken by surprise. He was sleeping in an outhouse in the rear of Banker Miller's residence at Fourteenth and Poplar, when the officers surrounded the building and captured him. In the Police court this morning the vagrancy case was continued until tomorrow. He will in all probability be sent either to Whittier or Ione where he will have an opportunity to reform.

BREVITIES.

Assistant Division Superintendent Joe Thompson of the Southern Pacific Company is in Sacramento today on business connected with the road.

Detective Wallace of the railroad company at the mole is suffering from an attack of the grip.

The Free Reading room on Seventh street near Willow has been newly fitted up and many interesting periodicals and other reading matter can be found there. Residents of West Oakland can secure books upon the Public Library through the reading room free of charge.

A new signal post Nos. 23½ to 25½ has ben placed in the yards at the pier at the junction switch to tracks Nos. 7 and 8. These signals will be given to trains and engines out of Nos 7 and 8 tracks. Signals 27 and 28 will only be used for trains or locomotives on the local tracks.

Carloads of water melons are now beginning to arrive. The crop this year is quite large and the prices will probably be somewhat lower than last season.

Everything is going along very quietly in railroad circles today.

Deputy Constable Tom Gilmartin made another capture this morning. He spotted John Lynch a tramp, who beat his way from Maine, on the "blind baggage," and arrested him for evading payment of railroad fare. He caught him near Butchertown.

It is rumored about the Point station this morning that William F. Revalk, the popular young merchandise broker and politician, will soon become a benedict. The bride's name could not be ascertained, but she is said to be one of West Oakland's fairest daughters.

A BULLET IN HIS BACK.

But Everett Spencer Does Not Seem to Mind It at All.

There is a young man at the Receiving Hospital who is giving the physicians some cause for discussion. He is Everett Spencer and he has a bullet in his back that does not seem to be worrying him in the slightest. He was shot several days ago by Deputy Sheriff Joe Lerri at Shellmound Park. When the wounded lad was taken to the hospital an effort was made to locate the bullet by probing, but the quest was unsuccessful.

The following day a second attempt was to be made, but the wound was causing Spencer no special inconvenience and the surgeons decided not to perform any further operations in search of the hidden missile.

The case is rather unusual as the bullet is supposed to be lodged very close to the spinal column. Spencer is improving very rapidly and it is thought will leave the hospital in a very short time. He will if no unfavorable symptoms assert themselves, be free to go about his ordinary avocations notwithstanding a good sized chunk of lead is embedded somewhere beyond the reach of the surgeon's probe.

Steward Victory takes special pride in this patient as he is a demonstration of the careful treatment accorded inmates of the institution.

AXES AND KNIVES.

Chinese Highbinders Have a Hot Set-to at Denver.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

DENVER, July 11.—Shortly before noon today the policemen were sent in a hurry to the Chinese quarter in response to a riot call.

About twenty Chinese were doing battle with axes, knives and clubs, and stones, but on the approach of the patrol wagon, they sought hiding places.

Sam Lung Wah, proprietor of an opium joint, was found with severe wounds on his head, which may cause his death.

He had been struck with an ax by My Gow, a business rival, whose place had been raided he believed at the instigation of Sam.

The other rioters were followers of these two leaders.

My Gow has not yet been caught.

THE PRIZE BABY OF KANSAS CITY, MO.

Cured of Disfiguring ECZEMA By the CUTICURA REMEDIES

Our baby when three weeks old was badly afflicted with Eczema. Her head, arms, neck, limbs and nearly every joint in her body was raw and bleeding when we concluded to try CUTICURA REMEDIES. We began with CUTICURA (ointment) and CUTICURA SOAP, and after the first application we could see a change. After we had used them one week some of the sores had healed entirely, and ceased to spread. In less than a month, she was free from scales and blemishes, and to-day has as lovely skin and hair as any child. She was shown at the Grange Fair, and took a premium as the prettiest baby, over sixteen others. MR. & MRS. PARK, 1609 Bellevue Ave., Kan. City, Mo. Sold everywhere. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Boston.

TO BE FOUGHT FOR.

The Los Angeles Land Case Not Finally Settled.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, July 11.—The land office officials take it for granted that the case involving the ownership of lands in Los Angeles county, Cal., recently decided in favor of the United States by the United States Circuit court, will be appealed to the Supreme court by the Southern Pacific railroad company.

The grant in question was an overlapping one.

It is not probable the lands will be thrown open to settlement until the matter can be decided in a court of last resort.

THE CLOSING CHAPTER.

Seth Richard in Eternal Slumber at Mountain View.

The funeral of Seth Richard, the well-known capitalist, took place from his late residence, corner of Orchard and Webster street, this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The remains lay in a rich, black cloth-covered casket which rested on supports in the parlor. The display of floral tributes was modest but expensive, comprising a few beautiful wreaths of white roses, sheaves of wheat and St. Joseph lilies.

There was no choral music in the exercises, the services consisting of the reading of a few mortuary psalms, a simple, yet tender and eloquent address and a prayer, all by Rev. Dr Moore of the Pacific Theological Seminary.

At the conclusion of the prayer, a final leave was taken of the deceased by his relatives and friends.

The pall-bearers were J. West Martin, Cary Howard, Z. T. Gilson, Arthur P. Alexander, J. B. McDonald, and Guy C. Earl.

Among those noted at the funeral were: Dr Wythe, Wm Moller, A. W. Moore, David Hewes, C. K. Marshall, Isaac Merrill, Jacob Greenwood, George T. Hawley, Guy Earl, John N. Whytlaw, Henry H. Foster.

The funeral was directed by Albert Brown.

A TOWN DOOMED.

Williams, Arizona, Visited by a Furious Blaze.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

DENVER, July 11.—A special to the Times from Albuquerque, N. M., says: The town of Williams, on the Atlantic & Pacific railroad, is burning.

The fire broke out on First street at 8 A. M. today, and two blocks of the business portion are now in ashes.

The fire originated from a gasoline stove exploding.

The town is without a fire department.

A bucket brigade formed by the citizens was inadequate to stem the flames.

The loss already amounts to at least $50,000.

A high wind is blowing from the south and the flames are sweeping everything.

SIEDENTOPF'S SEARCH.

He Has Not Yet Secured All the Bondsmen That Are Necessary.

W. H. Siedentopf spent a large portion of last night and today in a search for bondsmen to replace James Butler and J. H. O'Brien, the sureties who withdrew yesterday. Siedentopf up to a late hour today had not secured his men. He is under charges on four indictments and the bonds aggregate $6000. His sureties must qualify in double that amount. Up to noon he had succeeded in securing a portion of the amount necessary to be represented upon the bond.

MRS. PORTER'S WILL.

A Small Estate to Be Divided Among Relatives.

The will of the late Mrs. Margaret E. M. Porter was filed for probate today. The estate is valued at $1500. A lot in Los Gatos and personal effects are bequeathed to Mrs. Harriet M. Leach, a daughter of the deceased. Stock in the Central Bank is devised to Margaret H. and Nellie M. Leach, granddaughters. Interest upon the balance of the property is left for the support of decedent's husband. Upon his death $500 is to be given to each of her sons, Albert and Henry Porter. Henry C. Taft and Derwent Kirkland are named as executors.

TIRED OF LIFE.

A Rancher Ends His Existence by Taking Poison.

Some time during yesterday H. F. C. Rainey committed suicide on a ranch near the wayside resort of Joe Dieves, on the San Leandro road. The deceased was a Kentuckian by birth, 50 years of age and a former resident of San Francisco, where he attended the Howard street Presbyterian church.

The poison used was strychnine which had been kept for killing gophers. The coroner telegraphed to a brother of the deceased supposed to be living in St. Louis, but is was returned unanswered. An inquest will be held today.

TOWN TOPICS.

The third annual meeting of the Pacific Coast Gas Association will be held in San Francisco on the 16th and 17th inst. C. W. Quilty is the president and John A. Britton the secretary of the association.

The appointment of G. F. Sprague as a special police officer was filed today.

Enterprise Lodge No. 298, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, will have their new officers installed this evening in their hall at Twenty-second and Grove streets, by the district deputy grand master.

Chief Schaffer has issued an order changing the beats of the various police officers.

Henry Leach forfeited $2 in the police court today for violating the bicycle ordinance.

F. Collischonn, a deaf, dumb and blind man, was arrested in Alameda this afternoon and lodged in the county jail to await examination as to his sanity.

Will Marry a Conductor.

A license was issued today by the County Clerk authorizing the marriage of Charles Star, a conductor in the employ of the Piedmont line, and Miss Lulu Freeman, aged 18 years. Mr. Stark is 22 years of age and quite popular.

SOME RAPID RIDING.

Amateur Wheelmen Race at the Asbury Park Track.

The Best Talent of the Country Competing on Cycles.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ASBURY PARK, July 11.—Excellent weather for racing was the good fortune of the wheelmen here today.

The trial heats began with a mile race for novices, of which two Denver riders, Donald McKay and E. W. Swanbrough, each took one.

In the fourth heat of the half-mile open race six riders fell, but none were badly hurt.

In the two-mile national championship race R. C. Coulter won the first heat in 5:05 1-5; Arthur Gardiner second in 5:12 1-5, Nat Butler third in 5:17 4-5; Kiser, Dayton, O., fourth in 5:57 8-5.

Four men started in the fifth and sixth heats (amalgamated). Harry Davidson, Bradford, Pa., won in 5:21 1-5.

The seventh heat was won by Harry E. Caldwell, New Hampshire, in 5:19. A shower fell during this heat and it will be ridden over.

William Terrill, of Syracuse, won the eighth heat in 5:18 4-5.

The winners of the trial heats in the two-mile handicap were Baldwin, of Paterson, N. J.; Ruppert, New York; Abel, Arlington, N. J.; Winters, Tonawanda; Shinn Lakewood; Hoyt, Bridgeport.

When racing was resumed this afternoon a nasty drizzling rain was falling.

The attendance, however, was much larger than in the forenoon.

The results are:

One mile novice, class A, first, gold medal, $20, second, silver medal, $10—C. C. Dirnberger, Buffalo, N. Y., first; Donald McKay, Denver, second; time, 2:37 1-5.

Two-mile handicap, class "A"—W. G. Douglass, New York Athletic club (30 yards) first; A. V. Abel, Arlington (200 yards) second; time, 4:38.

Final heat, half mile, open—Arthur Gardiner, Chicago, first, E. H. Allen, Syracuse, second; time, 1:10 3-5.

Half mile open final heat—C. M. Ertz, New York, first; Tom Butler, Bridgeport, second; time, 1:31 1-5.

Two-mile championship, final heat—Mays and Saunders, tandem, paced the first mile and Johnson brothers second. Nat Butler, Boston, first; Arthur Gardiner, Chicago, second; C. R. Coulter, Toledo, third; time, 4:26 seven started.

One mile tandem, class A—First heat, H. E. Caldwell Manchester and Nat Butler, Boston, first; H. K. and Nat Roe, Patchoque, L. I., second. Time, 2:16 3-5. Four teams started.

One mile open with pace-makers, class B—E. C. B. Bald, Buffalo, first; F. J. Titus, New York, second; F. H. Allen, Syracuse third. Time, 2:07 3-5.

One mile tandem, final—Caldwell and Butler, won; Henshaw and Owen, second. Time, 2:30 1-5.

One mile professional race paced by A. A. Zimmerman and Harry Wheeler. P. J. Berto, Boston, first; J. A. Starbuck, Riverton, second H. E. Bartholomew, Riverton, third; R. P. McCurdy, Philadelphia, fourth. Time, 2:18 3-5. Seven started.

WILL RECALL THE DAY.

Splendid Photos of the Parade Taken by Tabor.

Taber, the photographer of 121 Post street, San Francisco, photographed every important feature of the Fourth of July procession in Oakland and has copies of all of them now on sale. Among the features are the following:

School children's float.
Red Men's float Pocahontas.
Independent Order of Red Men.
Battle Field, G. A. R.
Fifth Regiment, N. G. C.
Knights of Pythias
Rebekah at the Well, Odd Fellows.
Goddess of Liberty.
Fire Works at Lake Merritt.
Ancient Order of United Workmen's float.
Locomotive Engineers.
The Boston Tea Party, Osceola tribe, No. 71
Junior Order of American Mechanics.
The head of the procession at Fourteenth and Broadway
Fort Sumter, G. A. R.
The Frigate Constitution.
Camp scene, Ancient Order of Foresters.
Acme Athletic Club.
Signing the Declaration of Independence, Young Men's Institute.
Journeymen Butchers' Association.
Woodmen of the World.

A NEW PAPER.

Councilman Bassett Proposes to Become a Publisher.

Councilman J. M. Bassett is contemplating the publication of a local newspaper which will support the present administration in city affairs. Mr. Bassett is a forcible writer and could tell some very interesting facts in such a paper as he proposes to issue. His "Old Pard" letters on C. P. Huntington and the Central Pacific railroad have gained him more than a state reputation.

Money for Teachers.

The primary and grammar school teachers have been directed by the City Superintendent to call at County Superintendent Garlick's office Monday and receive their warrants. The last half of the State apportionment amounting to $44,408.64 has been received. The high school teachers will not receive their salary for some time yet.

Municipal Meetings.

The Finance Committee and committee on Furniture and Supplies of the Board of Education will hold a meeting tomorrow evening, preliminary to the meeting of the Board of Education on Monday evening.

The Street Committee of the City Council will hold a meeting this evening.

Dishes to let by Schellhaas.

Well! This spring lamb is delicious. Where did you get it? Marble Market, 34 San Pablo avenue.

C. W. Kinsey, Dealer in Modern New and Second-Hand Furniture.

Carpets and ranges retailed at low prices for cash. Will pay cash for or exchange good modern furniture in any quantity. Makes auction sales on premises. Call and see.

462-464 Thirteenth C. W. KINSEY, General Auctioneer.

FOR SALE—A GOOD SIDE SPRING top buggy, cheap. Apply to Wm. Stone, 1139 E. 18th st., near 23d avenue.

TO RENT—FAMILY GOING EAST for several months wishes to find party that will take house and board two of the family towards rent. Address box 414, Postoffice.

AN ESTATE IN ESCROW.

A Vigorous Contest Started Over Mrs Cook's Property.

The Public Administrator and W. G. Tripp Will Fight It Out.

There is to be a contest over the valuable estate left by Mrs. Elizabeth L. Cook, a wealthy widow who died in this city on the 11th of last month.

Public Administrator Knight, through his attorney, Major Fred Whitney, has applied for a citation to issue against W. G. Tripp, who, it is alleged, has refused to surrender the property of the deceased to Knight.

Judge Ogden made the necessary order in the case.

Mrs. Cook died intestate and letters of administration were granted to Knight, who went in search of the estate, but found not anything that he could secure. The deceased was worth about $40,000. She owned a handsome home at 690 Tenth street and had money in several banks of Oakland and San Francisco. She kept some valuable securities and other collateral in a tin box in a private box in her house. This, the public administrator is about to recover, but Tripp has not revealed the contents of the box, which is supposed to contain that to-morrow.

Mr. Cook died five years ago. He and Tripp were for many years partners in a meat market business in Iowa and accumulated considerable property. They wound up their affairs and came to California, where Tripp acted as a financial agent for Mrs. Cook after her husband's death.

After it was learned she died intestate and the public administrator applied for the position, it was then by Tripp who stated that Mrs. Cook had devised her real estate to him. The day following her death a deed was placed on record bearing the date of May 31st. Knight was informed that Tripp had a bill of sale for Mrs. Cook's personal property and that Tripp had also a deed of trust showing how all the property was to be disposed of.

It is claimed, however, that the real estate transfer may be void.

WHAT WHITNEY SAYS.

"We are informed," said Attorney Whitney, today, "that Mrs. Cook had expressed great solicitude for the contents of the tin box that we are looking for. She had said it contained everything she had in the world. We may contend that the deed is void, because it was not delivered. It was recorded the day after her death. If was, we believe in that tin box and we are of the opinion that Tripp did not come into possession of it until after Mrs. Cook's death.

"Tripp stated that Mrs. Cook made these arrangements with him before her death in order to avoid any probate proceedings. We have been unable to find any estate, if there is one and that is why the citation ordering Tripp to appear and show cause why he should not deliver the property was made."

Mrs. Cook had knowledge that her death might be expected, as she submitted to a very dangerous operation a few weeks before she succumbed. She is said to have told several persons near her that they would be remembered on the event of her demise.

She owned property in Berkeley and was well endowed with ready cash.

Tripp will not surrender without a battle. He has engaged Attorney Cary Howard to represent his side of the contest that has been commenced over the estate. Mrs. Cook left no near relatives. She has some nieces and distant connections in Iowa.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

VEGETABLES.

POTATOES—Are steady with a good demand.

Garnet Chilies, 60@65c per ctl; Burbanks in boxes, 60@81; in sacks, 55@75c; Early Rose, in boxes, 60@85c, in sacks, 60@70c.

ONIONS—The demand and supply about balance and prices keep uniform.

New Reds, 60@70c per ctl. Silverskins, 75@85c per ctl.

VEGETABLES.—The market is well supplied with all kinds as a rule.

Green peppers are quotable at 25@75c a box, green corn, 60@75c per sack for Vacaville, 75@$1 per box for Berkeley, and $1.50@$1.75 per box for Alameda; tomatoes from Vacaville 40@75c per box, from the river, $1.50@$2.25 per box; summer squash, 50@60c for bay; asparagus, from 60c for common up to $2.50 for choice, green peas, 2@2½c per lb; string beans, 2@3c per lb; bay cucumbers, 60@75c per box, green okra, $1.25@$1.50; egg plant, $1.25@$1.50; cabbage, 75c per ctl, feed carrots, 20@25c; garlic, 2@3c per lb.

BUTTER, CHEESE AND EGGS.

BUTTER—Creamery seconds are weak and dealers shade to sell. Fancy creamery is also easy. Fine dairy butter is scarce and very firm.

Creamery—Fancy, 16c with an advance for special brands, seconds, 14@15c per lb.

Dairy—Fancy, 14@15c per lb; good to choice, 13@13½c; medium grades, 11@12½c; store butter, nominal.

CHEESE—The market is quoted rather steadier, without, however, any improvement in prices.

Fancy mild new is quotable at 6@6½c per lb; common to good, 4@5c. Young America, 5@7c. Eastern, 11½@12½c. Western, 6@8c per lb.

EGGS—Fine fresh eggs are in good demand and firm, but all ordinary descriptions are dull.

Eastern, quoted at 13½@14c per dozen; duck eggs, 15@16c; store eggs, 12½@14c; ranch eggs, 16@17½c per dozen.

POULTRY AND GAME.

POULTRY—Good hens and young roosters sell off well at firm prices, and the other kinds are steady, as the market is but moderately supplied.

Live turkeys, 12@13c per lb for gobblers, 11@12c for hens; geese, per pair, 75@$1; goslings, $1@$1.25 per dozen; ducks, $3@$4 for old and $3@$5 for young; hens, $5@$6.50 per dozen; roosters, young, $6.50@$8; do, old, $5@$5.50; fryers, $4.50@$5.50 per dozen; broilers, $3.50@$4 for large and $2@$3 for small; pigeons, $1.25@$1.50 for young and old.

GAME—Nominal.

HAY AND FEEDSTUFFS.

BRAN—$13@$14 per ton.

MIDDLINGS—Ranges from $14 for low grades up to $18 per ton for the best.

FEEDSTUFFS—Ground and rolled barley, $13.50@$14, oilcake meal at the mill, $25 per ton, cottonseed oilcake, $24 per ton.

HAY—Choice new wheat is stronger again. No change in the other descriptions. The market is moderately supplied.

New wheat is quotable at $7@$10; new wild oat, $6@$7; new wheat and oat, $6@$8.50 per ton, new barley, $7@$7; new alfalfa, $5.50@$7.50. We quote old hay: wheat, $8@$10.50 per ton; wheat and oat, $7.50@$9.50; barley, $5@$8, oat, $7.50@$9.50; clover, $7@$8., compressed, $7.50@$9.50; stock, $5@$6 per ton.

STRAW—50@75c per bale.

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OFFICE.

460 Ninth St., OAKLAND, CAL.

ASSETS.

Loans	$35,299 00	
Real estate	3,705 18	
Stock loans	299 00	
Office furniture	604 88	
Other sundry assets	552 65	
Cash on hand	511 67	
		$41,804 31

LIABILITIES.

Dues paid—all series	$35,249 03	
Net profit to all stock	6,206 08	
Paid up stock	5,699 00	
Bills payable	1,000 00	
Sundry liabilities	768 23	
		$41,804 31

VALUE OF SHARES.

First series—Paid in per share	$48 00	
Earned	12 52	
		$60 52
Eighth series—paid in per share	$6 00	
Earned	36	
		$6 36

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A SWEDISH GIRL WISHES A place to do second work. Also a young, strong colored woman to do cooking; also an English girl to do housework, would like to go to the country; also a number of first-class girls waiting for work at the old reliable employment office, 1059 Clay street.

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$5250—AN ELEGANT GOTHIC STYLE cottage of six rooms and bath; expensively decorated and fine fitting; lot 35x125; location three blocks of Market street station, one of the choicest locations in Oakland; a cosy home, a bargain. M. J. LAYMANCE & CO., 466 Eighth street, Oakland. 96

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$12,500—VERY DESIRABLE MODERN home, 12 rooms, location choicest east of Broadway, in Harrison and Jackson streets; lot 100x150, interior replete with furnace, elegant mantels, expensively arranged, salon parlors, hall and stairway, fret work, land alone worth $5,000; nearly $10,000

AN ESTATE IN ESCROW.

A Vigorous Contest Started Over rs Cook's Property.

The Public Administrator and W. G. Tripp Will Fight It Out.

There is to be a contest over the valuable estate left by Mrs. Elizabeth L. Cook, a wealthy widow who died in this city on the 11th of last month.

Public Administrator Knight, through his attorney, Major Fred Whitney, has applied for a citation to issue against W. G. Tripp, who, it is alleged, has refused to surrender the property of the deceased to Knight.

Judge Ogden made the necessary order in the case.

Mrs. Cook died intestate and letters of administration were granted to Knight, who went in search of the estate, but found nothing that he could secure. The deceased was worth about $40,000. She owned a handsome home at 699 Tenth street and had money in several banks of Oakland and San Francisco. She kept some valuable securities and other collateral in a small tin box in a private bureau at her home. This, the public administrator is anxious to secure, but Tripp has intervened and the courts have been called upon to settle the contest that is imminent.

Mrs. Cook's husband died five years ago. He and Tripp were for many years partners in a mercantile business in Iowa and accumulated considerable property. They wound up their affairs and came to California, where Tripp acted as a financial agent for Mrs. Cook after her husband's death.

After it was learned she died intestate and the public administrator applied for the property, he was met by Tripp who stated that Mrs. Cook had deeded her real estate to him. The day following her death a deed was placed on record bearing the date of May 31st. Knight was informed that Tripp had a bill of sale for Mrs. Cook's personal property and that Tripp had also a decree of trust showing how all the property was to be disposed of.

It is claimed, however, that the real estate transfer may be void.

WHAT WHITNEY SAYS.

"We are informed," said Attorney Whitney, today, "that Mrs. Cook had expressed great solicitude for the contents of the tin box that we are looking for. She had said it contained everything she had in the world. We may contend that the deed is void, because it was not delivered. It was recorded the day after her death. It was, we believe in that tin box and we are of the opinion that Tripp did not come into possession of it until after Mrs. Cook's death.

"Tripp stated that Mrs. Cook made these arrangements with him before her death in order to avoid any probate proceedings. We have been unable to find any estate, if there is one and that is why the citation ordering Tripp to appear and show cause why he should not deliver the property was made."

Mrs. Cook had knowledge that her death might be expected, as she submitted to a very dangerous operation a few weeks before she succumbed. She is said to have told several persons near her that they would be remembered on the event of her demise.

She owned property in Berkeley and was well endowed with ready cash.

Tripp will not surrender without a battle. He has engaged Attorney Cary Howard to represent his side of the contest that has been commenced over the estate.

Mrs. Cook left no near relatives. She has some nieces and distant connections in Iowa.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

VEGETABLES.

POTATOES—Are steady with a good demand.

Garnet Chiles, 60@65c per ctl; Burbanks, in boxes, 60@81; in sacks, 55@75c; Early Rose, in boxes, 60@85c, in sacks, 60@70c

ONIONS—The demand and supply about balance and prices keep uniform.

New Reds, 60@70c per ctl; Silverskins, 75@85c per ctl.

VEGETABLES—The market is well supplied with all kinds as a rule.

Green peppers are quotable at 25@75c a box; green corn, 60c@$1 per sack for Vacaville, 75c@$1 per box for Berkeley, and $1.50@$1.75 per box for Alameda, tomatoes from Vacaville, 40@75c per box; from the river, $1.50@$2.25 per box; summer squash, 50@60c for bay; asparagus, from 60c for common up to $2 50 for choice; green peas, 2@2½c per lb; string beans, 3@4c per lb; bay cucumbers, 60@75c per box; green okra, $1.25@$1.50; egg plant, $1 25@$1 50, cabbage, 75c per ctl; feed carrots, 30@40c, garlic, 2@3c per lb.

BUTTER, CHEESE AND EGGS.

BUTTER—Creamery seconds are weak and dealers shade to sell. Fancy creamery is also easy. Fine dairy butter is scarce and very firm.

Creamery—Fancy, 16c with an advance for special brands, seconds, 14@15c per lb.

Dairy—Fancy, 14@15c per lb; good to choice, 12@13½c; medium grades, 11@12½c; store butter, nominal.

CHEESE—The market is quoted rather steadier, without, however, any improvement in prices.

Fancy mild new is quotable at 6@6½c per lb; common to good, 4@5c; Young America, 5@7c; Eastern, 11½@12½c; Western, 6@8c per lb.

EGGS—Fine fresh eggs are in good demand and firm, but all ordinary descriptions are dull.

Eastern, quoted at 13½@14c per dozen; duck eggs, 15@16c; store eggs, 12½@14c; ranch eggs, 16@17½c per dozen.

POULTRY AND GAME.

POULTRY—Good hens and young roosters sell off well at firm prices, and the other kinds are steady, as the market is but moderately supplied.

Live turkeys, 12@13c per lb for gobblers; 11@12c for hens; geese, per pair, 75c@$1; goslings, $1@$1.25 per dozen; ducks, $3@$4 for old and $3@$5 for young; hens, $5@$6.50 per dozen; roosters, young, $6.50@$8.50; do, old $5@$5.50; fryers, $4.50@$5.50 per doz; broilers, $3.50@$4 for large and $2@$3 for small; pigeons, $1.25@$1.50 for young and old.

GAME—Nominal.

HAY AND FEEDSTUFFS.

BRAN—$13@$14 per ton.

MIDDLINGS—Ranges from $14 for low grades up to $18 per ton for the best.

FEEDSTUFFS—Ground and rolled barley, $13.50@$14; oilcake meal at the mill, $25 per ton; cottonseed oilcake, $21 per ton.

HAY—Choice new wheat is stronger again. No change in the other descriptions. The market is moderately supplied.

New wheat is quotable at $7@$10; new wild oat, $6@$7; new wheat and oat, $7@$8.50 per ton; new barley, $5@$7; new alfalfa, $5.50@$7.50. We quote old hay: wheat, $8@$10.50 per ton; wheat and oat, $7.50@$9.50; barley, $6@$8; oat, $7.50@$9.50; clover, $7@$8; compressed, $7.50@$9.50; stock, $5@$6 per ton.

STRAW—50@75c per bale.

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Not much change in the market. Supplies are ample for current needs. Wholesale rates for dressed stock from the slaughterers are as follows:

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VEAL—Large, 4@5c; small, 5@7c per lb.

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LAMB—Spring, 5@6c per lb.

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OFFICE.

460 Ninth St., OAKLAND, CAL.

ASSETS.

Loans	$36,200 00	
Real estate	3,705 18	
Stock loans	200 00	
Office furniture	604 88	
Other sundry assets	552 65	
Cash on hand	541 60	
		$41,804 31

LIABILITIES

Dues paid—all series	$35,240 00	
Net profit to all stock	6,206 58	
Paid up stock	5,600 00	
Bills payable	1,000 00	
Sundry liabilities	768 23	
		$41,804 31

VALUE OF SHARES.

First series—Paid in per share	$48 00	
Earned	12 52	
		$ 60 52
Eighth series—paid in per share	$6 00	
Earned	36	
		$ 6 36

Intermediate series from one to eight issued every six months in proportion. For steady savings it is superior to any other known investment. Ninth series now open.

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A SWEDISH GIRL WISHES A place to do second work. Also a young, strong colored woman to do cooking; also an English girl to do housework, would like to go to the country; also a number of first-class girls waiting for work at the old reliable employment office, 1053 Clay street.

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$5250—INVESTMENT; RENTS, $42 MODern two-story business property; corner lot, 25x100, future location; Telegraph avenue. M. J. LAYMANCE & CO., 466 Eighth street, Oakland. 135

$3600—INVESTMENT; FLATS THREE blocks off Tenth and Washington streets, 4 and 5 rooms each, rents $30; a bargain; must sell. M. J. LAYMANCE & CO., 466 Eighth street, Oakland. 133

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$5500—INVESTMENT AND SURE PROspective property, one block off City Hall; rents $43 per month; improvements in A1 order store and flat, lot 25x100; owner refused $5,000 three years ago, sold to close estate. M. J. LAYMANCE & CO., 466 Eighth street, Oakland. 163

$2350—MAKE OFFER, MUST BE SOLD, modern cottage of five rooms and bath, 25x100, Tenth street, near Center street; sunny and pleasant location; San Francisco Union Bank mortgage $1500, balance cash; see this at once; M. J. LAYMANCE & CO., 466 Eighth street, Oakland. 87

$3900—$450 TO $500 CASH, BALANCE $25 per month, including interest, modern cottage of six rooms and bath, northwest corner of lot 42, 6-12x90 on Thirteenth avenue, three minutes of Brooklyn station; exceptional opportunity 13th avenue, a thoroughfare; land alone will be worth more than purchase price; owner once refused $4,200 cash. M. J. LAYMANCE & CO., 466 Eighth street, Oakland. 352

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PICNICS.

July 14th. French celebration of the falling of the Bastile.

THE WEATHER.

FORECAST MADE AT SAN FRANCISCO FOR 36 HOURS ENDING 5 P. M. JULY 12th, 1895.

For Washington: Fair weather except shower Thursday over extreme northwestern portion; decidedly lower temperature. Fresh to brisk, south to west winds. Fog is probable along the coast Friday.

For Oregon: Thursday and Friday, fair, decidedly lower temperatures; fresh westerly winds, fog along the coast Friday. Saturday promises to be fair over Washington and Oregon.

For Northern California: Fair weather, slightly cooler, except decidedly so Thursday at Red Bluff. Light to fresh, west to north winds. Fog is probable along the coast Thursday and Friday, becoming clear Saturday

For Southern California: Thursday and Friday fair weather, slight temperature changes, light to fresh westerly winds.

SAN FRANCISCO AND VICINITY.

Thursday and Friday fair weather, stationary temperature. Saturday promises to be fair with less fog.

There are no indications for any rain of any duration on the Pacific slope for the next several days. Warmer weather is probable on Sunday next.

B. S. PAGUE,
Local Forecast Official.

THURSDAY.....JULY 11, 1895.

The ease with which the English crew beat the Cornell boys may send the latter home with a great deal of the conceit taken out of them. It looks as if the Cornell crew was led to defeat by winning a nominal victory on the first trial without a competition. Of course there was much English chaffing and some of it was provoking enough. The Cornell men were evidently not in good condition. The reports three or four days in advance, indicated a defeat. The Cornell crew was not equal to the best trained crew in England. That fact was learned rather late in the day. But the Cornell boys have learned it, if not how to take their medicine gracefully.

John M. Hutchings, the Yosemite pioneer, recently went before the Commissioners of the Valley and asked to be permitted to spend the remainder of his life in his old cabin that he had so long occupied there. The tears of the applicant won the consent of the Commissioners. Sentiment sometimes goes a long way. Hutchings was probably the first white man who ever saw Yosemite Valley. He turned his discovery to pretty good account. He camped down there and claimed the ownership of the greater part of his discovery. When some years ago the Federal Government was about to pass the control of Yosemite over to the State, Hutchings strenuously asserted ownership. He had built a rude house and had erected a saw mill. But he had no other rights than those of a squatter. Camping down in such a place, it was clear enough to anybody who knew the facts that he never could and never ought to acquire a title. He clamored so persistently that he was accorded a sum not less than $20,000, an amount greater than he had ever possessed in all his life, or was likely from his border habits ever to gain from any other source. That money extinguished all the equities and ought to have extinguished all sentiment. It was enough to have made the pioneer comfortable for life.

Secretary Morton on Weather Prophets.

The Secretary of Agriculture recently dismissed Professor Mark Harrington, chief of the Weather Bureau, as was supposed, for political reasons. Other reasons were assigned. It was said that he made many errors in his predictions about the weather. The Secretary was recently interviewed by a correspondent of the New York World, and these highly interesting deductions of the former were taken down for the enlightenment of all scientific observers. Secretary Morton may have been at his best when he made these observations:

"There is more science in the way we predict weather than there is sense. There is altogether too much science about it. I would rather have an old farmer with rheumatism in his shoulder and a soft corn on his foot than all the professors and their confounded books that Harrington has got. Their ain't a cow in the whole of Nebraska that don't know when it is going to rain, and there is not a professor in the bureau who can do as well as a cow—and she never looked at a book and never went to college. There is more cussed nonsense in the weather bureau than any freak the government supports. I trust that I may some time raise the standard of the weather bureau up to that of a flock of geese, for they know a change of weather long before the wise men, and never miss it."

It is hoped that the Secretary never uttered these words. Such a delivery would account for the dismissal of Harrington on the ground of sheer contempt for science. Meteorology is not an exact science, but every year it is coming nearer to that standard. Nothing so asinine as this talk was ever before made by any head of a department at Washington. It would not have been creditable to one of Secretary Morton's former hayseed constituents. The Secretary evidently takes kindly to moonshine nonsense.

Diagnosis of a New Disease.

An English physician describes the "bicycle fad" as having an "anxious look and an unwholesome pallor." But how does that tally with the oft-repeated opinion that the bicycle is the greatest health appliance of modern times. The Washington Star notes that there are a few cases of this distorting malady in that city. In New York and Philadelphia many cases have been noted. The malady has now taken this dreadful name—"Kyphosis-bicyclistarum"—as if the disease were not bad enough without aggravating the symptoms with such outrageous nomenclature. This composite term indicates curvature of the spine as developed by those riders who insist upon high saddles and low handle-bars, and who when approaching the observer, seem to to have their faces set well down in their concave chests.

"Bicycle face" is the name which has been given to the painfully tense features of a large majority of the riders in Gotham and the Quaker City. First among the dogmatic statements as to this affliction was the announcement that the facial change was wrought by the seriousness of wheeling effort; most of the riders devoting themselves intently to rapidity of motion over long distances. Then it was insisted that the physiognomical alteration was due to concern born of the indifference to wheelmen's rights on the part of pedestrians, vehicles and the city authorities. The Philadelphia Press says that one of the chief causes of "bicycle face" in the City of Brotherly Love is the extremely bad character of so many of the street car crossings. "Then," says the Press, "after the badly laid crossings come the asphalted streets, where the asphalt has risen from its bed and folded itself in lumps, humps and waves as if an ocean of molasses and tar under the fury of a storm was suddenly congealed. The length of these solid waves is such that they catch the bicycle either in the hollows or the summits, and the jolting is of an unusual and terrifying character."

A few cases of this character have been observed in Oakland. The bad streets may be one cause. Another is that there is always a certain proportion of those who go in for a new fad and never cease until they have either done it or themselves to death. If this dreadful composite name for the malady will not win them back to moderation there will be no hope for them. Kyphosis-bicyclistarum is what is the matter. Here is the diagnosis. Now for the remedy.

The Man of Reminiscences.

John Sherman has been in public life a little more than forty years. He served in the House several terms and then went to the Senate, where he has served continuously, save when he filled the office of Secretary of the Treasury. He has seen the coming and going of many administrations. There is no living Senator who has been in public life so long, unless it is Senator Morrill. Benton wrote his Recollections after he had served thirty years in the Senate. Ben Butler wrote up his reminiscences, but he lugged in so many personal antagonisms that his book fell quite short of popular appreciation. Blaine wrote his recollections of public men and measures when he had his eye on a Presidential nomination. He had a good word for all his old political antagonists. The work had a large circulation. Tecumseh Sherman wrote up his military experiences and found a large reading constituency. General Grant was rescued from bankruptcy by the closing work of his life; but did not live long enough to see the full measure of success which the nation accorded to his work.

Senator Sherman has survived most of the partisan heats of the day. He has lived history, so that if he were not to write a word for himself, he would go down to posterity embalmed in some of the most interesting chapters that other historians will write. He will retire from public life at the end of his present Senatorial term. He will then write out his recollections. Works of that kind generally fall short of standard histories. But they furnish the material for later historians. Sherman must have a rich fund of facts and reminiscences. The man who knows the history and events as an eye witness is pretty sure that statements are facts. There is that advantage in having the record from first hands. He has known the men of whom he writes and the events as they occurred. It is the last and most fortunate task of eminent public men after the active service is over, to sit down in a calm retreat and make up the record of the great events with a clear understanding and a judicial temper. When a work of that kind is well done it may become monumental.

The New Coal Trust.

Within the last few years there have been many coal combinations in San Francisco. These have generally increased the price of coal to consumers in Oakland from 50 cents to $1 a ton. The latest coal trust is that which has just been organized through the Dunsmuir company, who own the most important of the Wellington coal mines. When the tariff on coal was reduced from 75 cents to 40 cents a ton, it was given out that consumers would get the benefit of that reduction. As a matter of fact they derived no benefits whatever from the reduction. The importers of foreign coal put the difference in their own pockets and let the consumers whistle for low prices.

These importers, representing four Wellington mines, with those who import from Australia and England, demand that all retailers shall come into an association, and shall thereafter sell coal according to the terms dictated by the trust. The retailers are not to sell long tons of 2240 pounds, but short tons of 2000 pounds. If they refuse to come into the combination they will be required to pay a larger price for coal, and of course could be under sold by their rivals. The leading companies that formed the trust which took effect on the first of the month are the Oregon Improvement Company, handling Seattle coal; R. Dunsmuir & Sons, Wellington; Charles R. Allen, Southfield Wellington; George Fritch, Dunsmuir Wellington; J. C. Wilson & Co., Scotch, Brymbo, Australian and Eastern anthracite; J. Macdonough & Co., Scotch, Brymbo, Australian and Eastern anthracite; Oregon Coal and Navigation Company, Coos Bay.

This is the list as published in the Call. The circular states that all the wholesale dealers have entered into the combination.

The one company belonging to the trust not engaged in foreign importation is the Oregon Coal & Navigation Co., that controls the Coos Bay mines. That interest is largely represented by residents of Oakland. A large amount of this coal is consumed in this city. The difference to consumers will probably range from 50 cents to $1 for a short ton. On several former occasions the price of this coal has been advanced as much as a dollar a ton without any apparent reason other than the arbitrary decision of a coal combination. The new combination furnishes one more illustration of the peculiar benefit of trusts which draw the blood from consumers for the benefit of a few men. It was recently declared in a judicial decision that every combination to raise the price of an article of public neccesity was not only unlawful, but was in the nature of a criminal wrong done in the community.

The Iowa State Republican Convention gave Senator Allison a strong endorsement for the Presidency. It came clearly into line with the Republican platform of 1892, adopted at Minneapolis. There is no difference of opinion among the adherents of that party as to what the platform means. No Republican convention has gone adrift from it. The Republicans in every state convention declare in favor of the use of both gold and silver as standard money, and for the parity of the two metals, as well as all paper issued by the Federal Government. They believe the time is coming when through the influence of an international agreement the mints of the country will be open to the free coinage of both gold and silver without loss to the volume of either. The Republicans do not need to add a single plank to their platform.

There has been a remarkable increase in the production of crude petroleum in California during the last few months. It looks now as if the annual production would reach nearly or quite a million barrels. Petroleum at $1.50 a barrel of 42 gallons, with the prospect that it will go to $1.25, comes within the range of cheap fuel. The Union Iron Works are constructing an oil steamer with a capacity of 6,000 barrels, to transport oil in bulk from the Ventura district direct to the refining works in Alameda. It is reported that there are now stored in Ventura and Los Angeles counties 300,000 barrels of petroleum, most of which is awaiting shipment, either for fuel or for refining purposes.

It costs more to make the Royal Baking Powder because its ingredients are purer, but it is more wholesome and goes farther than any other.

A MENU FOR TOMORROW.

FRIDAY, JULY 12, 1895.

BREAKFAST.
Fruit
Farinose
Parsley Omelet
Toast Coffee

LUNCH.
Raspberry Shortcake
Wafers Chocolate

DINNER.
Vegetable Soup
Beef Croquettes Mushroom Sauce
Boiled Potatoes Green Corn
String Bean Salad
Wafers Cheese
Macedoine of Fruit
Coffee

For meat or chicken pie try Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder.

NOTES AND EXCERPTS.

The extent to which a chimney can poison the atmosphere has been scientifically determined by a test made in Berlin. The soot which comes out of the chimney of a single sugar refinery was gathered for six days and found to weigh 6800 pounds. The New York Board of Health will please take notice.

Franklin, who drew the lightning, was a professional politician, not a professional scientist. Morse, who invented the telegraph was merely an amateur. Watts, who invented the steam engine, was not a professional machinist. Nearly all the great discoveries in photography have been made by amateurs. And so in nearly all lines it is the man who loves the work, not the man who lives by it, through whom progress comes.

The longest Egyptian railroad now extends to Girgeh, 326 miles from Cairo. It is soon to be extended to the first cataract, 710 miles from the coast. This means, of course, an ultimate connection with the British possessions in South Africa.

An English writer recalls the curious fact that when red clover was first grown in Australia it never seeded because the tongue of the native bee was too short to reach the pollen. The work of fertilizing red clover is chiefly done by the long-tongued bumble-bee.

According to the Railroad Gazette the railroad companies have ordered 25,000 freight cars this year at a cost of $10,000,000. If the crops turn out well even this re-enforcement will hardly meet the demands of reviving and expanding business.

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Two big United States battle-ships will soon need to be placed in drydock and now it is officially announced that the war ships will be sent to the British dock at Halifax, which is the only dock on the Atlantic coast big enough to accommodate the larger vessels of the new navy. What an absurd thing it is to be without the essentials necessary to keep in order the ships which some day may have to be used for the purpose of compelling respect for the American flag and the opinions it represents!—Evening Star.

George Meredith's readers and admirers will learn with pain that he has become almost completely deaf.

The powder used in big guns is queer looking stuff. Each grain is a hexagonal prism an inch wide and two-thirds of an inch thick, with a hole bored through the middle of it.

HUMOROUS.

"Mercy!" cried the editor's wife, as she arose in the morning to find two windows pried open and the lamp overturned in the middle of the floor. "There was a burglar in the house last night—a burglar!"

"Yes, said the editor, with a yawn, "he struck us just before daylight, but he was evidently a very poor man. I only got $6 out of him. You'll find it in the bureau drawer. The key's under my pillow!"

Theodore—Tell me, now, what is the meaning of the expression "pulling your leg?" Richard—I can't tell in so many words, but I will illustrate. You haven't $10 about you that you can let me have for a week or two? Thanks.—Boston Transcript.

Young Benedict—My wife don't understand me at all.

Old Benedict—Have you tried talking like a baby four months old?—Detroit Tribune.

Marjorie—That young man staying at the other cottage seems awfully nice.

Madge—But he's so slow. You would hardly believe it, but he has been out with me twice and we're not engaged yet.—Judge.

"I'm tired of the hurly-burly," said the man of sentiment. "I am weary of humanity and its bickerings. I long for solitude."

"Well," replied his practical friend, "there is only one way I know of that your wish can be gratified."

"What is that?"

"Go over to Kentucky and lecture on prohibition."

Tourist (in Oklahoma)—Horses are pretty cheap here nowadays, aren't they? Alkali Ike—Cheap? They are so blamed cheap that when we capture a hoss thief we send him to a lunatic asylum, instead of lynchin' him.—Puck.

Judge—You say you have some means of subsistence? Tramp—Yes, your honor. Judge—Then why is it not visible? Tramp—I ate it.—Harlem Life.

"There, Willie," said the lad's mother, "is ten cents for you. Now what are you going to do with it?"

"Save it up to buy fireworks for the Fourth of July," replied the boy in a tone whose positiveness was almost denant.

"Why, Willie, you know you are saving up your money to give to the heathen."

"Y-yes'm, but the Chinese are heathen, aren't they?"

"Yes, dear."

"And the Chinese make the firecrackers, don't they?"

"I am told they do."

"Well, then, the heathen'll get my money just the same; so it's all right."—Burlington Journal.

"I do believe she is painted." "Why, certainly. You didn't think she was bronze all the way through, did you?"—Puck.

Charlie—What makes the old cat howl so?

Walter—I guess you'd make a noise if you was full of fiddle strings inside.—New York Herald.

Mrs. Style—Isn't Miss McCook's dress lovely? She's just coming out in public——

Old Styler—Hum! So I see! Half out now!—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

"Father says that if I am a good boy he will take me to the circus," said Johnny. "That is what he told me," replied his mother. "Well, you can keep your eye on me and see if I ain't the pride of the neighborhood. Father's done me a good many favors, he has, and I'd hate terribly to be the means of makin' him miss that show."—Washington Star.

Grandpa (looking up)—What is it, my boy?

Freddie (at the window)—Stand out a little farther on the sidewalk. I have a package of torpedoes, and I want to drop them down on your bald head—Judge.

Friend—If you can't live happily with your husband, why don't you get a divorce from him?

Unhappy Wife—I am afraid I could not get any one else.—New York Weekly.

Lawyer Quibble—What was the greatest trial you ever presided over, judge?

Judge Kidby—Bringing up ten daughters, sir.—Harper's Bazar.

"How much was that diamond garter buckle you had stolen worth?" inquired the theatrical interviewer.

"Seventeen columns," was the actress' absent-minded reply.

What Russell Sage needs now is somebody he can pull between himself and Mr. Choate.—Detroit Tribune.

A young man in an outing shirt and straw hat was wheeling a baby carriage back and forth along the pavement in front of a certain flat in Brooklyn. The hot afternoon sun poured pitiously down upon him, and he was as angry as any man in the city.

"My dear," came a voice from the upper window of the house.

"You go to thunder," he shrieked back. "Let me alone, cant you?" and he went on wheeling and mopping his face.

An hour later the same voice came from the same window in earnest pleading tones:

"George, dear!"

"Well, what in the deuce do you want?" he shouted. "Have the water pipes burst?"

"No, George, dear!" wailed the voice; "the water pipes are all right, but you've been wheeling Lottie's dool all the afternoon. Had'nt you better let baby have a turn now?"

This was last week, but George is still in the hospital pending an examination as to his sanity.—Truth.

"Your husband has been ill," said the caller.

"Yes," replied the little, worried-looking woman; "he has been feeling very badly. I do my best to please him, but nothing seems to satisfy him."

"Is his condition critical?"

"It's worse than critical," she answered with a sigh, "It's abusive."

A WONDER OF THE SEA.

A Great Barrier Reef Constructed by Tiny Insects.

One of the marine wonders of the world is the great Barrier Reef of Australia. This stupendous rampart of coral, stretching in an almost unbroken line for 1250 miles along the northeastern coast of Australia, presents features of interest which are not to be equalled in any other quarter of the globe. Nowhere is the action of the little marine insect, which builds up with untiring industry those mighty mountains with which the tropical seas are studded, more apparent.

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PICNICS.

July 14th. French celebration of the falling of the Bastile.

THE WEATHER.

FORECAST MADE AT SAN FRANCISCO FOR 36 HOURS ENDING 5 P. M. JULY 12th, 1895.

For Washington: Fair weather except shower Thursday over extreme northwestern portion, decidedly lower temperature. Fresh to brisk, south to west winds. Fog is probable along the coast Friday.

For Oregon: Thursday and Friday, fair, decidedly lower temperatures, fresh westerly winds; fog along the coast Friday. Saturday promises to be fair over Washington and Oregon.

For Northern California: Fair weather slightly cooler, except decidedly so Thursday at Red Bluff. Light to fresh west to north winds. Fog is probable along the coast Thursday and Friday, becoming clear Saturday.

For Southern California: Thursday and Friday fair weather, slight temperature changes, light to fresh westerly winds.

SAN FRANCISCO AND VICINITY.

Thursday and Friday fair weather, stationary temperature. Saturday promises to be fair with less fog.

There are no indications for any rain of any duration on the Pacific slope for the next several days. Warmer weather is probable on Sunday next.

B. S. PAGUE,
Local Forecast Official.

THURSDAY.....JULY 11, 1895.

The ease with which the English crew beat the Cornell boys may send the latter home with a great deal of the conceit taken out of them. It looks as if the Cornell crew was led to defeat by winning a nominal victory on the first trial without a competition. Of course there was much English chaffing and some of it was provoking enough. The Cornell men were evidently not in good condition. The reports three or four days in advance indicated a defeat. The Cornell crew was not equal to the best trained crew in England. That fact was learned rather late in the day. But the Cornell boys have learned it, if not how to take their medicine gracefully.

John M. Hutchings, the Yosemite pioneer, recently went before the Commissioners of the Valley and asked to be permitted to spend the remainder of his life in his old cabin that he had so long occupied there. The tears of the applicant won the consent of the Commissioners. Sentiment sometimes goes a long way. Hutchings was probably the first white man who ever saw Yosemite Valley. He turned his discovery to pretty good account. He camped down there and claimed the ownership of the greater part of his discovery. When some years ago the Federal Government was about to pass the control of Yosemite over to the State, Hutchings strenuously asserted ownership. He had built a rude house and had erected a saw mill. But he had no other rights than those of a squatter. Camping down in such a place, it was clear enough to anybody who knew the facts that he never could and never ought to acquire a title. He clamored so persistently that he was accorded a sum not less than $20,000, an amount greater than he had ever possessed in all his life, or was likely from his border habits ever to gain from any other source. That money extinguished all the equities and ought to have extinguished all sentiment. It was enough to have made the pioneer comfortable for life.

Secretary Morton on Weather Prophets.

The Secretary of Agriculture recently dismissed Professor Mark Harrington, chief of the Weather Bureau, as was supposed, for political reasons. Other reasons were assigned. It was said that he made many errors in his predictions about the weather. The Secretary was recently interviewed by a correspondent of the New York World, and these highly interesting deductions of the former were taken down for the enlightenment of all scientific observers. Secretary Morton may have been at his best when he made these observations:

"There is more science in the way we predict weather than there is sense. There is altogether too much science about it. I would rather have an old farmer with rheumatism in his shoulder and a soft corn on his foot than all the professors and their confounded books that Harrington has got. Their ain't a cow in the whole of Nebraska that don't know when it is going to rain, and there is not a professor in the bureau who can do as well as a cow—and she never looked at a book and never went to college. There is more cussed nonsense in the weather bureau than any freak the government supports. I trust that I may some time raise the standard of the weather bureau up to that of a flock of geese, for they know a change of weather long before the wise men, and never miss it."

It is hoped that the Secretary never uttered these words. Such a delivery would account for the dismissal of Harrington on the ground of sheer contempt for science. Meteorology is not an exact science, but every year it is coming nearer to that standard. Nothing so asinine as this talk was ever before made by any head of a department at Washington. It would not have been creditable to one of Secretary Morton's former backwoods constituents. The Secretary evidently takes kindly to moonshine meteorology.

Diagnosis of a New Disease.

An English physician describes the "bicycle fad" as having an "anxious look and an unwholesome pallor." But how does that tally with the oft-repeated opinion that the bicycle is the greatest health appliance of modern times. The Washington Star notes that there are a few cases of this distorting malady in that city. In New York and Philadelphia many cases have been noted. The malady has now taken this dreadful name—"Kyphosis-bicyclistarum"—as if the disease were not bad enough without aggravating the symptoms with such outrageous nomenclature. This composite term indicates curvature of the spine as developed by those riders who insist upon high saddles and low handle-bars, and who when approaching the observer, seem to have their faces set well down in their concave chests.

"Bicycle face" is the name which has been given to the painfully tense features of a large majority of the riders in Gotham and the Quaker City. First among the dogmatic statements as to this affliction was the announcement that the facial change was wrought by the seriousness of wheeling effort; most of the riders devoting themselves intently to rapidity of motion over long distances. Then it was insisted that the physiognomical alteration was due to concern born of the indifference to wheelmen's rights on the part of pedestrians, vehicles and the city authorities. The Philadelphia Press says that one of the chief causes of "bicycle face" in the City of Brotherly Love is the extremely bad character of so many of the street car crossings. "Then," says the Press, "after the badly laid crossings come the asphalted streets, where the asphalt has risen from its bed and folded itself in furrows, humps and waves as if an ocean of molasses and tar under the fury of a storm was suddenly congealed. The length of these solid waves is such that they catch the bicycle either in the hollows or the summits, and the jolting is of an unusual and terrifying character."

A few cases of this character have been observed in Oakland. The bad streets may be one cause. Another is that there is always a certain proportion of those who go in for a new fad and never cease until they have either done it or themselves to death. If this dreadful composite name for the malady will not win them back to moderation there will be no hope for them. Kyphosis-bicyclistarum is what is the matter. Here is the diagnosis. Now for the remedy.

The Man of Reminiscences.

John Sherman has been in public life a little more than forty years. He served in the House several terms and then went to the Senate, where he has served continuously, save when he filled the office of Secretary of the Treasury. He has seen the coming and going of many administrations. There is no living Senator who has been in public life so long, unless it is Senator Morrill. Benton wrote his Recollections after he had served thirty years in the Senate. Ben Butler wrote up his reminiscences, but he lugged in so many personal antagonisms that his book fell quite short of popular appreciation. Blaine wrote his recollections of public men and measures when he had his eye on a Presidential nomination. He had a good word for all his old political antagonists. The work had a large circulation. Tecumseh Sherman wrote up his military experiences and found a large reading constituency. General Grant was rescued from bankruptcy by the closing work of his life; but did not live long enough to see the full measure of success which the nation accorded to his work.

Senator Sherman has survived most of the partisan heats of the day. He has lived history, so that if he were not to write a word for himself, he would go down to posterity embalmed in some of the most interesting chapters that other historians will write. He will retire from public life at the end of his present Senatorial term. He will then write out his recollections. Works of that kind generally fall short of standard histories. But they furnish the material for later historians. Sherman must have a rich fund of facts and reminiscences. The man who knows the history and events as an eye witness is pretty sure that statements are facts. There is that advantage in having the record from first hands. He has known the men of whom he writes and the events as they occurred. It is the last and most fortunate task of eminent public men after the active service is over, to sit down in a calm retreat and make up the record of the great events with a clear understanding and a judicial temper. When a work of that kind is well done it may become monumental.

The New Coal Trust.

Within the last few years there have been many coal combinations in San Francisco. These have generally increased the price of coal to consumers in Oakland from 50 cents to $1 a ton. The latest coal trust is that which has just been organized through the Dunsmuir company, who own the most important of the Wellington coal mines. When the tariff on coal was reduced from 75 cents to 40 cents a ton, it was given out that consumers would get the benefit of that reduction. As a matter of fact they derived no benefits whatever from the reduction. The importers of foreign coals put the difference in their own pockets and let the consumers whistle for low prices.

These importers, representing four Wellington mines, with those who import from Australia and England, demand that all retailers shall come into an association, and shall thereafter sell coal according to the terms dictated by the trust. The retailers are not to sell long tons of 2240 pounds, but short tons of 2000 pounds. If they refuse to come into the combination they will be required to pay a larger price for coal, and of course could be under sold by their rivals. The leading companies that formed the trust which took effect on the first of the month are the Oregon Improvement Company, handling Seattle coal; R. Dunsmuir & Sons, Wellington; Charles R. Allen, Southfield Wellington; George Fritch, Dunsmuir Wellington; J. C. Wilson & Co., Scotch, Brymbo, Australian and Eastern anthracite; J. Macdonough & Co., Scotch, Brymbo, Australian and Eastern anthracite; Oregon Coal and Navigation Company, Coos Bay.

This is the list as published in the Call. The circular states that all the wholesale dealers have entered into the combination.

The one company belonging to the trust not engaged in foreign importation is the Oregon Coal & Navigation Co., that controls the Coos Bay mines. That interest is largely represented by residents of Oakland. A large amount of this coal is consumed in this city. The difference to consumers will probably range from 50 cents to $1 for a short ton. On several former occasions the price of this coal has been advanced as much as a dollar a ton without any apparent reason other than the arbitrary decision of a coal combination. The new combination furnishes one more illustration of the peculiar benefit of trusts which draw the blood from consumers for the benefit of a few men. It was recently declared in a judicial decision that every combination to raise the price of an article of public necessity was not only unlawful, but was in the nature of a criminal wrong done in the community.

The Iowa State Republican Convention gave Senator Allison a strong endorsement for the Presidency. It came clearly into line with the Republican platform of 1892, adopted at Minneapolis. There is no difference of opinion among the adherents of that party as to what the platform means. No Republican convention has gone adrift from it. The Republicans in every state convention declare in favor of the use of both gold and silver as standard money, and for the parity of the two metals, as well as all paper issued by the Federal Government. They believe the time is coming when through the influence of an international agreement the mints of the country will be open to the free coinage of both gold and silver without loss to the volume of either. The Republicans do not need to add a single plank to their platform.

There has been a remarkable increase in the production of crude petroleum in California during the last few months. It looks now as if the annual production would reach nearly or quite a million barrels. Petroleum at $1.50 a barrel of 42 gallons, with the prospect that it will go to $1.25, comes within the range of cheap fuel. The Union Iron Works are constructing an oil steamer with a capacity of 1,000 barrels, to transport oil in bulk from the Ventura district direct to the refining works in Alameda. It is reported that there are now stored in Ventura and Los Angeles counties 300,000 barrels of petroleum, most of which is awaiting shipment, either for fuel or for refining purposes.

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NOTES AND EXCERPTS.

The extent to which a chimney can poison the atmosphere has been scientifically determined by a test made in Berlin. The soot which comes out of the chimney of a single sugar refinery was gathered for six days and found to weigh 6800 pounds. The New York Board of Health will please take notice.

Franklin, who drew the lightning, was a professional politician, not a professional scientist. Morse, who invented the telegraph, was merely an amateur. Watts, who invented the steam engine, was not a professional machinist. Nearly all the great discoveries in photography have been made by amateurs. And so in nearly all lines it is the man who loves the work, not the man who lives by it, through whom progress comes.

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Two big United States battleships will soon need to be placed in a drydock and now it is officially announced that the war ships will be sent to the British dock at Halifax, which is the only dock on the Atlantic coast big enough to accommodate the larger vessels of the new navy. What an absurd thing it is to be without the essentials necessary to keep in order the ships which some day may have to be used for the purpose of compelling respect for the American flag and the opinions it represents!—Evening Star.

George Meredith's readers and admirers will learn with pain that he has become almost completely deaf.

The powder used in big guns is queer looking stuff. Each grain is a hexagonal prism an inch wide and two-thirds of an inch thick, with a hole bored through the middle of it.

HUMOROUS.

"Mercy!" cried the editor's wife, as she arose in the morning to find two windows pried open and the lamp overturned in the middle of the floor. "There was a burglar in the house last night—a burglar!"

"Yes, said the editor, with a yawn, "he struck us just before daylight, but he was evidently a very poor man. I only got $6 out of him. You'll find it in the bureau drawer. The key's under my pillow!"

Theodore—Tell me, now, what is the meaning of the expression "pulling your leg?" Richard—I can't tell in so many words, but I will illustrate. You haven't $10 about you that you can let me have for a week or two? Thanks.—Boston Transcript.

Young Benedict—My wife don't understand me at all.

Old Benedict—Have you tried talking like a baby four months old?—Detroit Tribune.

Marjorie—That young man staying at the other cottage seems awfully nice.

Madge—But he's so slow. You would hardly believe it, but he has been out with me twice and we're not engaged yet.—Judge.

"I'm tired of the hurly-burly," said the man of sentiment. "I am weary of humanity and its bickerings. I long for solitude."

"Well," replied his practical friend, "there is only one way I know of that your wish can be gratified."

"What is that?"

"Go over to Kentucky and lecture on prohibition."

Tourist (in Oklahoma)—Horses are pretty cheap here nowadays, aren't they? Alkali Ike—Cheap? They are so blamed cheap that when we capture a hoss thief we send him to a lunatic asylum, instead of lynchin' him.—Puck.

Judge—You say you have some means of subsistence? Tramp—Yes, your honor. Judge—Then why is it not visible? Tramp—I ate it.—Harlem Life.

"There, Willie," said the lad's mother, "is ten cents for you. Now what are you going to do with it?"

"Save it up to buy fireworks for the Fourth of July," replied the boy in a tone whose positiveness was almost defiant.

"Why, Willie, you know you are saving up your money to give to the heathen."

"Y-yes'm, but the Chinese are heathen, aren't they?"

"Yes, dear."

"And the Chinese make the firecrackers, don't they?"

"I am told they do."

"Well, then, the heathen'll get my money just the same; so it's all right."—Burlington Journal.

"I do believe she is painted." "Why, certainly. You didn't think she was bronze all the way through, did you?"—Puck.

Charlie—What makes the old cat howl so?

Walter—I guess you'd make a noise if you was full of fiddle strings inside.—New York Herald.

Mrs. Style—Isn't Miss McCook's dress lovely? She's just coming out in public—

Old Styler—Hum! So I see! Half out now!—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

"Father says that if I am a good boy he will take me to the circus," said Johnny. "That is what he told me," replied his mother. "Well, you can keep your eye on me and see if I ain't the pride of the neighborhood. Father's done me a good many favors, he has, and I'd hate terribly to be the means of makin' him miss that show."—Washington Star.

Grandpa (looking up)—What is it, my boy?

Freddie (at the window)—Stand out a little farther on the sidewalk. I have a package of torpedoes, and I want to drop them down on your bald head.—Judge.

Friend—If you can't live happily with your husband, why don't you get a divorce from him?

Unhappy Wife—I am afraid I could not get any one else.—New York Weekly.

Lawyer Quibble—What was the greatest trial you ever presided over, judge?

Judge Kidby—Bringing up ten daughters, sir.—Harper's Bazar.

"How much was that diamond garter buckle you had stolen worth?" inquired the theatrical interviewer.

"Seventeen columns," was the actress' absent-minded reply.

What Russell Sage needs now is somebody he can pull between himself and Mr. Choate.—Detroit Tribune.

A young man in an outing shirt and straw hat was wheeling a baby carriage back and forth along the pavement in front of a certain flat in Brooklyn. The hot afternoon sun poured pitiously down upon him, and he was as angry as any man in the city.

"My dear," came a voice from the upper window of the house.

"You go to thunder," he shrieked back. "Let me alone, cant you?" and he went on wheeling and mopping his face.

An hour later the same voice came from the same window in earnest pleading tones:

"George, dear!"

"Well, what in the deuce do you want?" he shouted. "Have the water pipes burst?"

"No, George, dear!" wailed the voice; "the water pipes are all right, but you've been wheeling Lottie's dool all the afternoon. Had'nt you better let baby have a turn now?"

This was last week, but George is still in the hospital pending an examination as to his sanity.—Truth.

"Your husband has been ill," said the caller.

"Yes," replied the little, worried-looking woman; "he has been feeling very badly. I do my best to please him, but nothing seems to satisfy him."

"Is his condition critical?"

"It's worse than critical," she answered with a sigh, "it's abusive."

A WONDER OF THE SEA.

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Many Officials Are Elected for the Ensuing Year.

HARMONY REIGNS SUPREME.

A Number of Social Events Brightened the Work.

The week before July Fourth was given up by the various lodges of this city to making arrangements for the display they intended making on the anniversary of the Declaration of Independence. Since that time the meetings of the same organizations have been devoted in the main to talking over the success of the celebration and the part they played in the great undertaking. For that reason, as also because of the midsummer vacation, which is being enjoyed by so many members of fraternal orders, the budget of interesting news is not so varied as usual. And yet, the readers of this department will not be unrewarded in perusing its columns this week.

Woodmen of the World.

The new officers of Peralta Camp Woodmen of the World, for the ensuing term are as follows: S. Taylor; consul; E. Q. Turner, advisor; H. Sangster, clerk; J. E. Little, banker; W. C. Bissell escort; W. E. Owen, watchman, George Martin, sentry; Dr. Whitworth, physician; managers, W. H. Waste, W. P. Woolsey, E. T. Harms. The Past Consul is Mr. Mikkelsen. These officers will be installed by Past Head Consul M. T. Moses of San Francisco on July 29th.

Order United Workmen.

The new officers of Ivy lodge No. 4, Degree of Honor, A. O. U. W., were greeted by a large membership Monday evening. Those who took their respective chairs were: Past chief of honor, Mrs. A. A. Wood; chief of honor, Mrs. Marks; lady of honor, Mrs. Oakes; chief of ceremonies, Mrs. Moore; sister usher, Mrs. Hodges; inside guardian, Mrs. Parkinson; outside guardian, Brother Carr.

Everything worked harmoniously, the officers performing the functions like veterans.

Sisters Larrabee and Fulcher were appointed maids of honor; Sisters Bradley, Sturrock and Brown were appointed as the finance committee; Sisters Rowe, Jacobson and Hanan were appointed on the new attraction committee for next Monday evening.

During recess several enjoyable games were indulged in.

Brother J. M. Cohen by his inimitable wit and humor convulsed all those present with laughter.

Brother Wood's imitation of the "bark of a dog" was somewhat "green" but members say they hope he will be better the next time.

Brother Isaacs tried to bleat like a lamb, but collapsed when a sister remarked sotto voce that his perfomance was much like a "Buckley lamb." It is said that if an ample apology is not forthcoming the injured brother intends to resign.

An invitation which was received from Silver Star lodge, Temescal, to attend the installation of its officers this evening, was accepted, nearly all present signifying their intention of attending. Those going will take the Telegraph avenue cars at the corner of Broadway and Twelfth street at 7:30 o'clock.

Past Chief of Honor Mrs Sturrock on behalf of Sister Macdonald, who is well on her road to Scotland, delivered her best wishes and love to the members of the lodge. Ivy lodge will always have the sweetest memories of Sister Macdonald, who has been one of its most zealous workers.

Brother J. M. Cohen made one of the most eloquent speeches heard for some time in the lodge room, in praising the work of District Deputy Mrs. Cogan.

Sister Sturrock spoke in an earnest and unselfish strain on behalf of the beneficiary certificate. Her remarks met with warm approval.

Brother McAllister on behalf of Oak Leaf lodge No. 35, A. O. U. W., tendered a vote of thanks to the members of Ivy lodge for their valuable services on the Fourth of July.

A vote of thanks was given by Ivy lodge to Oak Leaf lodge for the use of the latter's lodge room on the evening of the installation of the officers of Ivy lodge.

J. J. Griffiths of Occidental lodge No. 6 of this city attended a banquet given a few nights ago by Sacramento lodge No. 80, A. O. U. W.

Last Saturday evening the Oakland drill team officiated at the investment of the officers of Harmony lodge in San Francisco, in the presence of a large gathering of members.

Improved Order Red Men.

Great preparations are being made throughout the State for the grand council session of Improved Order of Red Men, which is to be held in Redwood City, beginning August 8th. It is the intention to make it the most notable gathering of Red Men that has ever been held on this reservation. Orders for the manufacture of the teepees for the Indian village to be erected upon the court house grounds, were given last Tuesday by the committee in San Francisco having the matter in charge. Set pieces of fireworks, displaying appropriate emblems and historical events of the order, have been added to the programme.

A touching incident occurred during the installation of the officers of Germania lodge, Improved Order of Red Men in San Francisco a few nights ago. C. J. Jehrbach, who has acted for many years as secretary, found himself compelled to resign the office on account of his failing eyesight. This lodge is one of the oldest on the coast and has a capital of $4,500.

Odd Fellows.

The new home of Odd Fellows at Thermalito is now complete, requiring to be furnished with household goods, gas fixtures and a few minor features only. The trustees and officers of the home have just concluded a very harmonious meeting in San Francisco, at which they decided to advertise for bids for the furnishing of these supplies. It is expected that the home will be ready for occupancy by eligible Odd Fellows in about six weeks.

F. and A. M.

J. J. Warner, secretary of Live Oak lodge No. 61, F. and A. M., announces that that lodge will confer the third degree tomorrow evening.

Cremation services have been officially declared by the Masonic authority not to be Christian burial. The question that brought about this decision arose over the making of funeral arrangements for the late Charles H. Reisser, a high Mason. It had always been Mr. Reisser's wish to be cremated. The grand master of Pennsylvania, Judge Arnold, returned a decision and the services of the cremation were not Christian burial under the Masonic law, and the family decided to abandon their original intention to cremate.

Ancient Order of Foresters.

Court Piedmont, A. O. F., gave an interesting entertainment last Tuesday evening when the following programme was rendered: Vocal solo, Mrs. Walker, piano solo, Miss Heckman; vocal solo, Mrs. Mhoon; violin solo, Mr. Britchey; sketches, Cotton children.

At the next meeting of the court there will be an installation of officers.

The Board of Deputies have organized preparatory to visiting the various courts in this jurisdiction and exemplifying the hidden work. The first court visited was Court University.

Foresters of America.

Court United States of America No. 7711, A. O. F. of A., held one of its enthusiastic meetings last Tuesday evening, two-thirds of the members being present.

The principal feature of the evening was the installation of officers. Deputy Grand Chief Ranger Sam Meyer, assisted by Chief Ranger H. Klee of Court Haywards, conducted the exercises as follows: Chief ranger, R. Rosenberg, sub-chief ranger, George Gaylord; recording secretary, F. Jacobs; senior woodward, B. Jacobs; junior woodward, W. J. Sears; senior beadle, S. Rosenberg; junior beadle, D. S. Burwell.

After the installation the visiting members from Courts Haywards, Shellmound, Oakland, Fruitvale, Justice, Golden Gate, Golden West and United States adjourned to the banquet hall, where a spread was in awaiting.

Deputy Sam Meyer acted as toastmaster, and in that capacity was an unqualified success.

Brother F. Jacobs delivered the address of welcome and was followed by Junior Past Chief Ranger Holden, who enlightened the visitors on the history of Court United States. Able and eloquent addressed were delivered by B. Bercovich, George Gaylord, of United States; Max Licht of Court Golden Gate; H. Klee of Court Haywards; J. Levere of Court Shell Mound, Dr. Maher, H. Reihm, M. Lesser, R. Rosenberg and others.

One of the most pleasing features of the evening and a surprise to the retiring Chief Ranger was the presentation to that officer of a beautiful gold badge, the emblem of the order, by Deputy Sam Meyer, on behalf of the members of Court United States. Brother Holden, although overcome by the surprise found words of thanks for the token.

The next on the programme was a zither solo by J. Robinson, comic song by C. H. Lohmeyer, and a piano solo by H. Ross. After the musical part of the programme was concluded the following presentations were made.

J. Trenger in a very neat speech presented H. Kaufman with a members' certificate framed and mounted on an easel, this being the prize offered to the brother selling the largest number of tickets for the picnic.

A. E. Trimble presented the retiring chief ranger with a P. C. R. certificate also framed and mounted on an easel.

Past Chief Ranger Holden, on behalf of himself presented Chief Ranger Rosenberg with a members' certificate framed and mounted on an easel, this being the prize offered to the brother bringing in the largest number of members during the past six months.

After giving three hearty cheers for Court United States the visitors went home satisfied that the organization is the banner court in Alameda county.

Court United States will pay a fraternal visit to Court Shellmound this evening.

Degree of Honor.

United States of America Circle No. 260, at its meeting last Monday evening initiated five members and received four applications. After the meeting the doors were thrown open to the invited guests to witness the public installation arranged by the newly elected officers.

After an overture by the orchestra Deputy Chief Companion Mrs. Worms, assisted by Miss M. Burkheim of Bay City Circle, installed the following officers for the ensuing term: Chief companion, Mrs. Flora Jacobs; subchief companion, Miss Nellie Thacker; financial secretary, M. E. Harris; recording secretary, Mrs. B. Ross; right guide, Mrs. J. R. Hines; left guide, Mrs. Lorenson; inner guard, Mrs. M. Pickford; outer guard, Mrs. C. Silverstien.

After the installation T. L. Holden presented Junior Past Chief Companion Mrs. Ray Cohen on behalf of United States Circle with a beautiful gold jewel. The companion was so surprised that she was unable to find words of acceptance, but managed to shed a few tears.

After the presentation the floor was cleared for dancing. Refreshments were served and all having refreshed themselves dancing was resumed and continued until a late hour. A delightful evening was enjoyed by all present.

United States Circle gave its second monthly social in its hall on July 8th. The attendance was very large. Over 70 couples being in the grand march. Each guest was presented with a bouquet of beautiful flowers. Ice cream and cake was served. The social was a decided success, both financially and socially. Credit is due the committee of arrangements which consisted of Mrs. Freda Jacobs, chairman; Mrs. B. Ross, Mrs. M. Cohen and Mrs. M. Casovia.

Knights of Pythias.

Oakland, it may be said, has had its share of honors in the fraternal world, and is now in the enjoyment of distinction because of the number of grand officers of the various orders which are to be found in her lodges.

Among the number that of the Grand Chancellor of the Pythian order, which position is now filled by George Samuels. To this office Mr. Samuels was elected a few months ago, and it was expected that, at the time, his exaltation would be signalized by a presentation which would bear witness to the esteem in which the new official was held among his fellow members. It is true, a reception was tendered him after his return to this city with his honors clustering about his, but it remained until Thursday last, for the Knights to properly pay their respects to their leader. It was after the great parade in honor of the Declaration of Independence, and the members of all the lodges of the Pythian order and the several temples of Rathbone Sisters assembled in Castle Hall at a banquet provided by the enthusiastic members of the several temples. After the edibles had been disposed of Grand Chancellor Samuels was genuinely surprised by the presentation of a massive cup of solid silver, resting on a base of ebony and appropriately engraved. The presentation speech was made by D. B. Bankhead. It was an eloquent effort, but not too fervid to set forth the respect which the Knights of this county entertain for the grand chancellor.

The remarks were enthusiastically received and this fact taken with the sentiment and surprise overcame Mr. Samuels and it was sometime before he could master his emotions to reply. He at length succeeded, however, and made an eloquent and heartfelt response.

In the evening there was a grand ball and thus was brought to a close the memorable clebration of July 4th by the Pythians of Alameda county.

OAKLAND LODGE.

Oakland Lodge, No. 103, was well represented in the Fourth of July parade, and all of the paraphernalia used on the float was sent by the lodge to the general committee.

This lodge has sustained the loss of one of its members, William H. Lewis, who was killed by falling off a scaffold on the State university grounds at Berkeley. The remains were forwarded to his home in Ottawa, Ills. The funeral services were attended by a large number of Knights and friends of the deceased. The ceremonies were conducted by Past Chancellor S. Samuels according to the ritual after which all the members took a farewell look at their departed brother.

Oakland lodge will install its newly-elected officers next Friday evening, after which a banquet will be given to the grand officers and visitors. Invitations have been sent to all the Alameda lodges to be present and all visiting brothers are invited to attend. They are assured a knightly welcome. Oakland lodge is noted for its fraternal welcome to all brother Knights. This lodge will confer the Knight rank on Friday night, July 19th, when a large number of visitors are expected from all over the county.

NEW PYTHIAN LAWS.

Grand Chancellor George Samuels, K. of P., of this city has issued in convenient form a digest of the more important legislation adopted at the late Grand Lodge of the order held in Monterey. The compendium is intended to afford members of the order a knowledge of the new laws pending the publication of the journal of proceedings of the Grand Lodge. Some of the features of this epitome have already been referred to by the Tribune and others are now presented for the first time. They will be appreciated because many Knights have not thus far been made acquainted with the latest enactments of the Grand body. They are as follows.

"The constitution for subordinate lodges heretofore in operation is repealed and in its stead the laws governing subordinate lodges are in the form of statutes.

"The terms of all ritualistic officers is now six months, and elections are to be held at the first convention in June and December. Those officers elected in November, 1894 to serve for a term of one year are not to be disturbed, but must be permitted to serve out the terms for which they were elected.

"By-laws must be in conformity with the supreme and grand law. The Grand Lodge committee on law will prepare and submit to the various subordinate lodges a model set of by-laws which subordinate lodges may reject or approve. The idea of this feature is to enable the by-laws of all the lodges to be as nearly uniform as possible.

"A member in arrears five months for dues, fines or assessments shall not be entitled to any weekly benefits, nor permitted to vote in his lodge.

"The Knighthood fee is $15, except in case of a lodge of fifty members where the grand chancellor may reduce it to $10.

"Bureaus of relief may be organized in every city or town where three or more lodges exist, by and with the consent of a majority of these lodges.

"A semi-annual levy of 5 cents per member is made upon all subordinate lodges for the establishment and maintenance of a Pythian home."

Young Men's Institute.

At the last regular meeting of Fraternity Council, No. 32, Y. M. I., of East Oakland, the following officers were chosen: President, M. A. McInnis; first vice president, J. T. Harrington; second vice president, J. F. Moran; recording secretary, C. H. O'Connor; financial secretary, W. V. Harrington; treasurer, A. Kretz; marshal, D. H. Ahkins; surgeon, Dr. P. F. Stetson; inside sentinel, Frank Slattery, outside sentinel, P. C. Peters; executive committee, J. T. Cary, V. Gilardin and J. J. Mulgrew.

One candidate was initiated at the meeting and a few application were read.

Next Tuesday evening Oakland Council, No. 6, will elect its officers for the ensuing year.

During the evening six candidates will be initiated into the order. The odes will be rendered at the ceremony by trained voices.

The next Grand Council will convene at Vallejo early next September.

Woodmen of the World.

The Woodmen of the World is making a wonderful growth. The head camp, which is located at Denver, Col., reports that during the past month more than one thousand new applications have been received.

Oakland Camp No. 54, which meets every Monday evening at Fraternal hall, No. 1156 Washington street, is contributing her share of this new growth of Woodmen, having received over fifty applications in the last few weeks.

The same can be said of all the camps in this and San Francisco counties.

The Woodmen also deserve great credit for the part they took in making the Fourth of July celebration long to be remembered. Their float, drawn by six fine gray horses, represented a forest filled with choppers felling the mighty minards of the hills and plains, while the members of the several camps followed the float wearing large straw hats and carrying the emblem of the craft, an ax. Every now and then one could hear from the choppers while at work in the forest these words: "Gather in the timbers, boys, from forest and from plain,
Gather in the perfect, let the crooked ones remain;
Only those are welcome who have muscle, brawn and brain,
Under the banner of Woodcraft," etc., etc.

Last Monday evening the officers-elect of Oakland Camp No. 94 were installed by Past Consul Commander T. F. Gray, of Cypress Camp No. 14, of Haywards.

The officers installed were: Consul Commander, T. I. Bock; advisor, J. B. Greer; escort, E. T. Taylor; manager, C. E. Trow; watchman, H. J. McKim; sentry, T. Stark.

The attendance was large and the programme was much enjoyed.

Next Monday evening Oakland Camp expects to initiate about a dozen new members.

The story goes that Patti and Melba have been indulging in quiet personalities in London. The town has been going wild over Patti and this inspired Melba to say: "Well, she ought to be a good singer; she has had sufficient practice. Didn't the great Duke of Wellington admire her very much?" But Patti, the story runs, merely smiled when she heard this and said: "I will not say anything nasty in reply lest it hurt the feelings of Melba's grandchildren." As Melba has a daughter 20 years of age, it is hinted that the less she says about Patti's age the better.

THE TALE OF THE ELKS.

How the Order Was First Brought to the Coast.

Many Celebrated Californians Were in the Pioneer Lodge.

There is no class of people who take more pleasure in life, in social converse, in appreciating artistic merit and meeting round the festive board than do the members of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks. Their pleasures are heartfelt, all the more so if they can be rendered enjoyable to those whom the Elks honor as their guests. With this keen enjoyment of life, the Elks are not less sensible of suffering and want and the other ills that flesh is heir to. In such instances, the first instinct of the member of this notable order is to afford relief. But that relief is given without ostentation. The world rolls on ignorant of the manner in which some of its more unfortunate people are saved from despair and again enabled to enter the combat of life. It may be that the assistance rendered but gently paves the way to the tomb, but, even there, the true member of the order is to be found bidding a farewell to his absent brother.

No order more strongly appeals to the sentiment and the appreciation of the man of the world than that of the Elks. This fact is established by the character, the standing and accomplishments of its members, not less in this community than elsewhere throughout the country wherever a lodge may be located. And yet it may be that few even of the order's most devoted members know the gradations by which the order has attained the present exalted position. Fewer still, perhaps, know how it was transplanted to the golden sands of the Pacific from the other extremity of the country. And yet this has been accomplished in less than half years of a man of middle age. For this reason the history is an interesting one, because it recalls the names of many who, though "lost to sight, are yet to memory dear."

The third lodge of the order of Elks was established in San Francisco, mainly through the enthusiasm of Leslie Blackburn of this city. That was accomplished in 1874. At that time Mr. Blackburn was a resident of San Francisco, with a penchant for taking a couple of trips each year to the Atlantic coast. He was a great admirer of the dramatic lights of the time, and, indeed, California was then ablaze, so to speak, with dramatic genius.

At its inception the order of Elks was intended as an organization for the purpose of mutual aid and cultivating sociability among actors. Mr. Blackburn regretted that there was no lodge of the order on the coast, and went to New York for the purpose of endeavoring to get permission to establish a lodge in San Francisco. That was in June, 1873. At that time there were but two lodges in the country. The lodge in New York was styled No. 1, Philadelphia No. 2, and these constituted the grand lodge. Mr. Blackburn was admitted to membership in New York lodge, taking both degrees in one night, although there is a legend handed down during the intermittent years that the goat never survived his riding. He worked hard with the grand lodge to have a branch established in San Francisco, but that august body thought that there should first be found out here at least seven elders before the required permission would be given. This fact was set forth in the following historical document in the shape of a report of the committee to whom was referred the request of Mr. Blackburn, signed by the members, T. A. Phillips, Robert S. Marvin and Henry P. O'Neill, and attested by the seal of the grand lodge and the signature of J. C. Pinckney, exalted grand ruler, and Wm. Coffin, grand secretary, which Mr. Blackburn now holds:

"Your committee respectfully report that they have carefully considered the matter and recommend that the charter be granted immediately; that it be placed in the hands of Brother W. H. Smith, of New York, lodge No. 1, but that no action be taken thereon by him until such time as there shall have been seven regularly admitted brothers of the second degree resident in San Francisco."

This document was forwarded to San Francisco, but seven members could not then be found in that city."

There was a delay, and, in the latter part of 1874, Mr. Blackburn again went to New York and succeeded in inducing the grand lodge to agree to the institution of a San Francisco lodge provided three members could be found in the California metropolis.

Mr. Blackburn returned, found the members of the order in Fayette Welch, since dead; Charles Coghill, the great song and dance artist, now in Australia; and Nelson Decker, the organizer of the California Theater Stock Company. These three, with Mr. Blackburn, were members of New York lodge, and all of them asked for and received their demits, and then formed California lodge No. 3, B. P. O. E., being just able to fill the chairs.

The new lodge was acting under dispensation of the grand lodge. It met every Tuesday afternoon in Anthony's hall, on Bush street, and for three months it continued to receive members. Mr. Blackburn was the first to act as exalted ruler, and the first man he conferred the degrees upon was Thomas W. Keene, the tragedian of today and distinguished then as the leading member of the stock company at the California theater, which was under the management of John McCullough.

At length the grand lodge granted California lodge a charter and the document was brought to the coast by Frank Girard, who was made district deputy grand exalted ruler. The first election held under the charter resulted in the selection of Tom Keene as exalted ruler; Nelson Decker, esteemed leading knight; Leslie F. Blackburn, esteemed loyal knight; D. C. Anderson, the distinguished actor of that day, lecturing knight, Fayette Welch, inner guard, and Murray Woods, tyler.

The lodge prospered. New names were enrolled. Socials were held. Balls were given, at which the wealth, beauty and fashion of the time attended, and those who came in with the purview of the order's beneficence had occasion to remember its liberality. There was no order that was better known in San Francisco than the Elks, so much so that when on October 15th, 1876, the first annual benefit took place the Grand Opera House was packed from pit to dome. General admission was $1 and private boxes commanded $12.

The proceeds of the entertainment were $2,000. The programme was a varied one, including H. J. Byron's sensational drama, "Lancashire Lass." This piece was followed by an olio.

There appeared in the melo-drama, "by the permission of John McCullough," C.B.Bishop, Tom Keene, Nelson Decker, Murray Woods, R. Donaruma, H. Bradley, Miss Ellie Wilton and Miss Carrie Wyatt; "by the permission," as the bills said, "of Tom Maguire," M. A. Kennedy, John Jack, A. D. Billings, F. Kilday, Eleanor Carey; "by the permission of M. J. McDonald," Charles Edmonds; "by the permission of S. Tetlow," W. C. Crosbie, Signor Tagliapietra, Alice Harrison, Cogill and Cooper, Baby McDonald, Mons. Alfred Perrier, Johnny De Angelis, Bree and Stanwood and J. H. Lafkin and Carrie Armstrong.

At the close of the performance all the members of the order appeared on the stage and sang "Auld Lang Syne" to the accompaniment of the large orchestra, the immense audience joining in the chorus.

The first member of the order to die was C. F. McIntyre, whose demise took place at Sacramento. A large delegation of the order went to the capital city and escorted the remains to Anthony's hall on Bush street, where the funeral exercises were held.

The place was thronged by the most distinguished people of the time and everything was on a scale of completeness, showing the esteem in which the deceased brother had been held, and which has been characteristic of the order up to the present time.

The eulogy was delivered by Tom Keene. It was an eloquent effort, and was delivered with all the grace and fervor and effect of the polished elocutionist. The remains were borne to Lone Mountain, the pall-bearers being Leslie Blackburn, W. Courtright, Nelson Decker, John Rittigan, J. Condon, M. Woods, J. Cogill, W. Lipsis.

The order continued to flourish, and finally lodge No. 12 was organized in San Francisco. Later No. 3 and No. 12 were merged, and now the lodge in San Francisco is known as No. 6.

OAKLAND LODGE, B. P. O. E.

In course of time the order was extended to this city, and it may be within the province of the writer at some time later to give a few rambling reflections as to how the home organization has attained its present standing.

Oakland lodge gives a grand social session tonight, at which a pleasant time is promised.

The bronze elk, intended to mark Elks' rest in Mt. View cemetery has been cast and will shortly be put in place.

TREATMENT OF TEETH.

The Dental Association Is Making Good Researches.

At the session of the California State Association in San Francisco "Surgical Treatment of Ulcerated Teeth" was the subject of a paper by Dr. Parsons of San Diego.

Dr. Russell H. Cool of this city opened the discussion on the subject by saying that he thought there is room for hope that the improvement in this branch of dentistry would continue, so that such a thing as the loss of a tooth from these causes would not be possible. Dr. Cool referred to the introduction of the use of lactic acid by Dr. Younger, who continued the discussion.

Dr. Marian Craig, of this city, who has been practicing for five years, made application for membership in the association. She will be the second woman who has been admitted to fellowship in the organization, the first one being Miss McElroy, a niece of Warden Hale of San Quentin.

DAINTIEST OF ALL REPTILES.

Prohibition State Turns Out the Snake Story of the Season.

J. W. Miller, a farmer of Harvey county, Kan., has lost eight cows during the past six weeks as the result of the strange freaks of bull snakes. Mr. Miller was at a loss to account for this state of affairs, and after he had lost eight cows he spent a day with the animals to watch developments. He was rewarded with the strangest sight he had ever witnessed. A monster bull snake, eight feet in length, appeared in the pasture, and, raising itself to the udder of the cow, grasped the teat with its mouth and sucked out the milk. When it had satisfied its hunger it dropped off. Mr. Miller killed this and five other large bull snakes which he found in his pasture, and since that time his cows have not been troubled.

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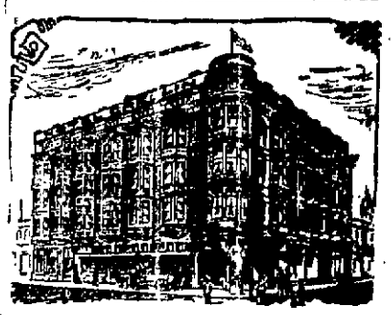

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HARMONY REIGNS SUPREME.

A Number of Social Events Brightened the Work.

The week before July Fourth was given up by the various lodges of this city to making arrangements for the display they intended making on the anniversary of the Declaration of Independence. Since that time the meetings of the same organizations have been devoted in the main to talking over the success of the celebration and the part they played in the great undertaking. For that reason, as also because of the midsummer vacation, which is being enjoyed by so many members of fraternal orders, the budget of interesting news is not so varied as usual. And yet, the readers of this department will not be unrewarded in perusing its columns this week.

Woodmen of the World.

The new officers of Peralta Camp Woodmen of the World, for the ensuing term are as follows: S. Taylor; consul; E. Q. Turner, adviser; H. Sangster, clerk; J. E. Little, banker; W. C. Bissell, escort; W. E. Owen, watchman, George Martin, sentry; Dr. Whitworth, physician; managers, W. H. Waste, W. P. Woolsey, L. T. Harms. The Past Consul is Mr. Mikkelsen. These officers will be installed by Past Head Consul M. T. Moses of San Francisco on July 29th.

Order United Workmen.

The new officers of Ivy lodge No. 4, Degree of Honor, A. O. U. W., were greeted by a large membership Monday evening. Those who took their respective chairs were: Past chief of honor, Mrs. A. A. Wood; chief of honor, Mrs. Marks; lady of honor, Mrs. Oakes; chief of ceremonies, Mrs. Moore; sister usher, Mrs. Hodges; inside guardian, Mrs. Parkinson; outside guardian, Brother Carr.

Everything worked harmoniously, the officers performing the functions like veterans.

Sisters Larrabee and Fulcher were appointed maids of honor; Sisters Bradley, Sturrock and Brown were appointed as the finance committee; Sisters Rowe, Jacobson and Hanan were appointed on the new attraction committee for next Monday evening.

During recess several enjoyable games were indulged in.

Brother J. M. Cohen by his inimitable wit and humor convulsed all those present with laughter.

Brother Wood's imitation of the "bark of a dog" was somewhat "green" but members say they hope he will be better the next time.

Brother Isaacs tried to bleat like a lamb, but collapsed when a sister remarked sotto voice that his perfomance was much like a "Buckley lamb." It is said that if an ample apology is not forthcoming the injured brother intends to resign.

An invitation which was received from Silver Star lodge, Temescal, to attend the installation of its officers this evening, was accepted, nearly all present signifying their intention of attending. Those going will take the Telegraph avenue cars at the corner of Broadway and Twelfth street at 7:30 o'clock.

Past Chief of Honor Mrs. Sturrock on behalf of Sister Macdonald, who is well on her road to Scotland, delivered her best wishes and love to the members of the lodge. Ivy lodge will always have the sweetest memories of Sister Macdonald, who has been one of its most zealous workers.

Brother J. M. Cohen made one of the most eloquent speeches heard for some time in the lodge room, in praising the work of District Deputy Mrs Cogan.

Sister Sturrock spoke in an earnest and unselfish strain on behalf of the benoficiary certificate. Her remarks met with warm approval.

Brother McAllister on behalf of Oak Leaf lodge No. 35, A. O. U. W., tendered a vote of thanks to the members of Ivy lodge for their valuable services on the Fourth of July.

A vote of thanks was given by Ivy lodge to Oak Leaf lodge for the use of the latter's lodge room on the evening of the installation of the officers of Ivy lodge.

J. J. Griffiths of Occidental lodge No. 6 of this city attended a banquet given a few nights ago by Sacramento lodge No. 50, A. O. U. W.

Last Saturday evening the Oakland drill team officiated at the investment of the officers of Harmony lodge in San Francisco, in the presence of a large gathering of members.

Improved Order Red Men.

Great preparations are being made throughout the State for the grand council session of Improved Order of Red Men, which is to be held in Redwood City, beginning August 8th. It is the intention to make it the most notable gathering of Red Men that has ever been held on this reservation. Orders for the manufacture of the teepees for the Indian village to be erected upon the court house grounds, were given last Tuesday by the committee in San Francisco having the matter in charge. Set pieces of fireworks, displaying appropriate emblems and historical events of the order, have been added to the programme.

A touching incident occurred during the installation of the officers of Germania lodge, Improved Order of Red Men in San Francisco a few nights ago. C. J. Jebrbach, who has acted for many years as secretary, found himself compelled to resign the office on account of his failing eyesight. This lodge is one of the oldest on the coast and has a capital of $4,500.

Odd Fellows.

The new home of Odd Fellows at Thermalito is now complete, requiring to be furnished with household goods, gas fixtures and a few minor features only. The trustees and officers of the home have just concluded a very harmonious meeting in San Francisco, at which they decided to advertise for bids for the furnishing of these supplies. It is expected that the home will be ready for occupancy by eligible Odd Fellows in about six weeks.

F. and A. M.

J. J. Warner, secretary of Live Oak lodge No. 61, F. and A. M., announces that that lodge will confer the third degree tomorrow evening.

Cremation services have been officially declared by the Masonic authority not to be Christian burial. The question that brought about this decision arose over the making of funeral arrangements for the late Charles H. Reisser, a high Mason. It had always been Mr. Reisser's wish to be cremated. The grand master of Pennsylvania, Judge Arnold, returned a decision and the services of the cremation were not Christian burial under the Masonic law, and the family decided to abandon their original intention to cremate.

Ancient Order of Foresters.

Court Piedmont, A. O. F., gave an interesting entertainment last Tuesday evening when the following programme was rendered. Vocal solo, Mrs. Walker; piano solo, Miss Heckman; vocal solo, Mrs Mhoon; violin solo, Mr. Britchey; sketches, Cotton children.

At the next meeting of the court there will be an installation of officers.

The Board of Deputies have organized preparatory to visiting the various courts in this jurisdiction and exemplifying the hidden work. The first court visited was Court University.

Foresters of America.

Court United States of America No. 7741, A. O. F. of A., held one of its enthusiastic meetings last Tuesday evening, two-thirds of the members being present.

The principal feature of the evening was the installation of officers. Deputy Grand Chief Ranger Sam Meyer, assisted by Chief Ranger H. Klee of Court Haywards, conducted the exercises as follows: Chief ranger, R. Rosenberg, sub-chief ranger, George Gaylord; recording secretary, F. Jacobs; senior woodward, B. Jacobs, junior woodward, W. J. Sears, senior beadle, S. Rosenberg; junior beadle, D. S. Burwell.

After the installation the visiting members from Courts Haywards, Shellmound, Oakland, Fruitvale, Justice, Golden Gate, Golden West and United States adjourned to the banquet hall, where a spread was in awaiting.

Deputy Sam Meyer acted as toastmaster, and in that capacity was an unqualified success.

Brother F. Jacobs delivered the address of welcome and was followed by Junior Past Chief Ranger Holden, who enlightened the visitors on the history of Court United States. Able and eloquent addressed were delivered by B. Bercovich, George Gaylord, of United States; Max Licht of Court Golden Gate; H. Klee of Court Haywards; J. Levere of Court Shell Mound; Dr. Maher, H. Reihm, M. Lesser, R. Rosenberg and others.

One of the most pleasing features of the evening and a surprise to the retiring Chief Ranger was the presentation to that officer of a beautiful gold badge, the emblem of the order, by Deputy Sam Meyer, on behalf of the members of Court United States. Brother Holden, although overcome by the surprise found words of thanks for the token.

The next on the programme was a zither solo by J. Robinson, comic song by C. H. Lohmeyer, and a piano solo by H. Ross. After the musical part of the programme was concluded the following presentations were made:

J. Treager in a very neat speech presented H. Kaufman with a members' certificate framed and mounted on an easel, this being the prize offered to the brother selling the largest number of tickets for the picnic.

A. E. Trimble presented the retiring chief ranger with a P. C. R. certificate, also framed and mounted on an easel.

Past Chief Ranger Holden, on behalf of himself presented Chief Ranger Rosenberg with a members' certificate framed and mounted on an easel, this being the prize offered to the brother bringing in the largest number of members during the past six months.

After giving three hearty cheers for Court United States the visitors went home satisfied that the organization is the banner court in Alameda county.

Court United States will pay a fraternal visit to Court Shellmound this evening.

Degree of Honor.

United States of America Circle No. 260, at its meeting last Monday evening initiated five members and received four applications. After the meeting the doors wer thrown open to the invited guests to witness the public installation arranged by the newly elected officers.

After an overture by the orchestra Deputy Chief Companion Mrs. Worms, assisted by Miss M. Burkheim of Bay City Circle, installed the following officers for the ensuing term: Chief companion, Mrs. Flora Jacobs; subchief companion, Miss Nellie Thacker; financial secretary, M. E. Harris; recording secretary, Mrs. B. Ross; right guide, Mrs. J. R. Hines; left guide, Mrs. Lorenson; inner guard, Mrs. M. Pickford; outer guard, Mrs. C. Silverstien.

After the installation T. L. Holden presented Junior Past Chief Companion Mrs. Ray Cohen on behalf of United States Circle with a beautiful gold jewel. The companion was so surprised that she was unable to find words of acceptance, but managed to shed a few tears.

After the presentation the floor was cleared for dancing. Refreshments were served and all having refreshed themselves dancing was resumed and continued until a late hour. A delightful evening was enjoyed by all present.

United States Circle gave its second monthly social in its hall on July 8th. The attendance was very large. Over 70 couples being in the grand march. Each guest was presented with a bouquet of beautiful flowers. Ice cream and cake was served. The social was a decided success, both financially and socially. Credit is due the committee of arrangements which consisted of Mrs. Freda Jacobs, chairman; Mrs. B. Ross, Mrs. M. Cohen and Mrs. M. Casovia.

Knights of Pythias.

Oakland, it may be said, has had its share of honors in the fraternal world, and is now in the enjoyment of distinction because of the number of grand officers of the various orders which are to be found in her lodges.

Among the number that of the Grand Chancellor of the Pythian order, which position is now filled by George Samuels. To this office Mr. Samuels was elected a few months ago, and it was expected that, at the time, his exaltation would be signalized by a presentation which would bear witness to the esteem in which the new official was held among his fellow members. It is true, a reception was tendered him after his return to this city with his honors clustering about his, but it remained until Thursday last, for the Knights to properly pay their respects to their leader. It was after the great parade in honor of the Declaration of Independence, and the members of all the lodges of the Pythian order and the several temples of Rathbone Sisters assembled in Castle Hall at a banquet provided by the enthusiastic members of the several temples. After the edibles had been disposed of Grand Chancellor Samuels was genuinely surprised by the presentation of a massive cup of solid silver, resting on a base of ebony and appropriately engraved. The presentation speech was made by D. B. Bankhead. It was an eloquent effort, but not too fervid to set forth the respect which the Knights of this county entertain for the grand chancellor.

The remarks were enthusiastically received and this fact taken with the sentiment and surprise overcame Mr. Samuels and it was sometime before he could master his emotions to reply. He at length succeeded, however, and made an eloquent and heartfelt response.

In the evening there was a grand ball and thus was brought to a close the memorable clebration of July 4th by the Pythians of Alameda county.

OAKLAND LODGE.

Oakland Lodge, No. 103, was well represented in the Fourth of July parade, and all of the paraphernalia used on the float was sent by the lodge to the general committee.

This lodge has sustained the loss of one of its members, William B. Lewis, who was killed by falling off a scaffold on the State university grounds at Berkeley. The remains were forwarded to his home in Ottawa, Ills. The funeral services were attended by a large number of Knights and friends of the deceased. The ceremonies were conducted by Past Chancellor S. Samuels according to the ritual after which all the members took a farewell look at their departed brother.

Oakland lodge will install its newly-elected officers next Friday evening, after which a banquet will be given to the grand officers and visitors. Invitations have been sent to all the Alameda lodges to be present and all visiting brothers are invited to attend. They are assured a knightly welcome. Oakland lodge is noted for its fraternal welcome to all brother Knights. This lodge will confer the Knight rank on Friday night, July 19th, when a large number of visitors are expected from all over the county.

NEW PYTHIAN LAWS.

Grand Chancellor George Samuel, K. of P., of this city has issued in convenient form a digest of the more important legislation adopted at the late Grand Lodge of the order held in Monterey. The compendium is intended to afford members of the order a knowledge of the new laws pending the publication of the journal of proceedings of the Grand Lodge. Some of the features of this epitome have already been referred to by the Tribune and others are now presented for the first time. They will be appreciated becaues many Knights have not thus far been made acquainted with the latest enactments of the Grand body. They are as follows:

"The constitution for subordinate lodges heretofore in operation is repealed and in its stead the laws governing subordinate lodges are in the form of statutes.

"The terms of all ritualistic officers is now six months, and elections are to be held at the first convention in June and December. Those officers elected in November, 1894, to serve for a term of one year are not to be disturbed, but must be permitted to serve out the terms for which they were elected.

"By-laws must be in conformity with the supreme and grand law. The Grand Lodge committee on law will prepare and submit to the various subordinate lodges a model set of by-laws which subordinate lodges may reject or approve. The idea of this feature is to enable the by-laws of all the lodges to be as nearly uniform as possible.

"A member in arrears five months for dues, fines or assessments shall not be entitled to any weekly benefits, nor permitted to vote in his lodge.

"The Knighthood fee is $15, except in case of a lodge of fifty members, where the grand chancellor may reduce it to $10.

"Bureaus of relief may be organized in every city or town where three or more lodges exist by and with the consent of a majority of these lodges.

"A semi-annual levy of 5 cents per member is made upon all subordinate lodges for the establishment and maintenance of a Pythian home."

Young Men's Institute.

At the last regular meeting of Fraternity Council, No. 32, Y. M. I., of East Oakland, the following officers were chosen: President, M. A. McInnis; first vice president, J. T. Harrington; second vice president, J. F. Moran; recording secretary, C. H. O'Connor, financial secretary, W. V. Harrington; treasurer, A. Kretz, marshal, D. Harkins; surgeon, Dr. B. F. Stetson; inside sentinel, Frank Slattery; outside sentinel, P. C. Peters; executive committee, J. T. Cary, V. Gilardin and J. J. Mulgrew.

One candidate was initiated at the meeting and a few applications were read.

Next Tuesday evening Oakland Council, No. 6, will elect its officers for the ensuing year.

During the evening six candidates will be initiated into the order. The ode will be rendered at the ceremony by trained voices.

The next Grand Council will convene at Vallejo early next September.

Woodmen of the World.

The Woodmen of the World is making a wonderful growth. The head camp, which is located at Denver, Col., reports that during the past month more than one thousand new applications have been received.

Oakland Camp No. 94, which meets every Monday evening at Fraternal hall, No. 1156 Washington street, is contributing her share of this new growth of Woodmen, having received over fifty applications in the last few weeks.

The same can be said of all the camps in this and San Francisco counties.

The Woodmen also deserve great credit for the part they took in making the Fourth of July celebration long to be remembered. Their float, drawn by six fine gray horses, represented a forest filled with choppers felling the mighty minards of the hills and plains, while the members of the several camps followed the float wearing large straw hats and carrying the emblem of the craft, an ax. Every now and then one could hear from the choppers while at work in the forest these words: "Gather in the timbers, boys, from forest and from plain,
Gather in the perfect, let the crooked ones remain;
Only those are welcome who have muscle, brawn and brain,
Under the banner of Woodcraft," etc., etc.

Last Monday evening the officers-elect of Oakland Camp No. 94 were installed by Past Consul Commander T. F. Gray, of Cypress Camp No. 14, of Haywards.

The officers installed were: Consul Commander, T. I. Boak; advisor, J. B. Greer; escort, E. T. Taylor; manager, C. E. Trow; watchman, H. J. McKim; sentry, T. Stark.

The attendance was large and the programme was much enjoyed.

Next Monday evening Oakland Camp expects to initiate about a dozen new members.

The story goes that Patti and Melba have been indulging in quiet personalities in London. The town has been going wild over Patti and this inspired Melba to say: "Well, she ought to be a good singer; she has had sufficient practice. Didn't the great Duke of Wellington admire her very much?" But Patti, the story runs, merely smiled when she heard this and said: "I will not say anything nasty in reply lest it hurt the feelings of Melba's grandchildren." As Melba has a daughter 20 years of age, it is hinted that the less she says about Patti's age the better.

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THE TALE OF THE ELKS.

How the Order Was First Brought to the Coast.

Many Celebrated Californians Were in the Pioneer Lodge.

There is no class of people who take more pleasure in life, in social converse, in appreciating artistic merit and meeting round the festive board than do the members of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks. Their pleasures are heartfelt, all the more so if they can be rendered enjoyable to those whom the Elks honor as their guests. With this keen enjoyment of life, the Elks are not less sensible of suffering and want and the other ills that flesh is heir to. In such instances, the first instinct of the member of this notable order is to afford relief. But that relief is given without ostentation. The world rolls on ignorant of the manner in which some of its more unfortunate people are saved from despair and again enabled to enter the combat of life. It may be that the assistance rendered but gently paves the way to the tomb, but, even there, the true member of the order is to be found bidding a farewell to his absent brother.

No order more strongly appeals to the sentiment and the appreciation of the man of the world than that of the Elks. This fact is established by the character, the standing and accomplishments of its members, not less in this community than elsewhere throughout the country wherever a lodge may be located. And yet it may be that few even of the order's most devoted members know the gradations by which the order has attained the present exalted position. Fewer still, perhaps, know how it was transplanted to the golden sands of the Pacific from the other extremity of the country. And yet this has been accomplished in less than half years of a man of middle age. For this reason the history is an interesting one, because it recalls the names of many who, though "lost to sight, are yet to memory dear."

The third lodge of the order of Elks was established in San Francisco, mainly through the enthusiasm of Leslie Blackburn of this city. That was accomplished in 1874. At that time Mr. Blackburn was a resident of San Francisco, with a penchant for taking a couple of trips each year to the Atlantic coast. He was a great admirer of the dramatic lights of the time, and, indeed, California was then ablaze, so to speak, with dramatic genius.

At its inception the order of Elks was intended as an organization for the purpose of mutual aid and cultivating sociability among actors. Mr. Blackburn regretted that there was no lodge of the order on the coast, and went to New York for the purpose of endeavoring to get permission to establish a lodge in San Francisco. That was in June, 1873. At that time there were but two lodges in the country. The lodge in New York was styled No. 1, Philadelphia No. 2, and these constituted the grand lodge. Mr. Blackburn was admitted to membership in New York lodge, taking both degrees in one night, although there is a legend handed down during the intermittent years that the goat never survived his riding. He worked hard with the grand lodge to have a branch established in San Francisco, but that august body thought that there should first be found out here at least seven elders before the required permission would be given. This fact was set forth in the following historical document in the shape of a report of the committee to whom was referred the request of Mr. Blackburn, signed by the members, T. A. Phillips, Robert S. Mann and Henry P. O'Neill, and attested by the seal of the grand lodge and the signature of J. C. Pinckney, exalted grand ruler, and Wm. Coffin, grand secretary, which Mr. Blackburn now holds:

"Your committee respectfully report that they have carefully considered the matter and recommend that the charter be granted immediately; that it be placed in the hands of Brother W. H. Smith, of New York, lodge No. 1, but that no action be taken thereon by him until such time as there shall have been seven regularly admitted brothers of the second degree resident in San Francisco."

This document was forwarded to San Francisco, but seven members could not then be found in that city."

There was a delay, and, in the latter part of 1874 Mr. Blackburn again went to New York and succeeded in inducing the grand lodge to agree to the institution of a San Francisco lodge provided three members could be found in the California metropolis.

Mr. Blackburn returned, found the members of the order in Fayette Welch, since dead; Charles Coghill, the great song and dance artist, now in Australia; and Nelson Decker, the organizer of the California Theater Stock Company. These three, with Mr. Blackburn, were members of New York lodge, and all of them asked for and received their demits, and then formed California lodge No. 3, B. P. O. E., being just able to fill the chairs.

The new lodge was acting under dispensation of the grand lodge. It met every Tuesday afternoon in Anthony's hall, on Bush street, and for three months it continued to receive members. Mr. Blackburn was the first to act as exalted ruler, and the first man he conferred the degrees upon was Thomas W. Keene, the tragedian of today and distinguished then as the leading member of the stock company at the California theater, which was under the management of John McCullough.

At length the grand lodge granted California lodge a charter and the document was brought to the coast by Frank Girard, who was made district deputy grand exalted ruler. The first election held under the charter resulted in the selection of Tom Keene as exalted ruler, Nelson Decker, esteemed leading knight; Leslie F. Blackburn, esteemed loyal knight; D. C. Anderson, the distinguished actor of that day, lecturing knight; Fayette Welch, inner guard, and Murray Woods, tyler.

The lodge prospered. New names were enrolled. Socials were held. Balls were given, at which the wealth, beauty and fashion of the time attended, and those who came in with the purview of the order's beneficence had occasion to remember its liberality. There was no order that was better known in San Francisco than the Elks, so much so that when on October 15th, 1876, the first annual benefit took place the Grand Opera House was packed from pit to dome. General admission was $1 and private boxes commanded $12.

The proceeds of the entertainment were $2,000. The programme was a varied one, including H. J. Byron's sensational drama, "Lancashire Lass." This piece was followed by an olio.

There appeared in the melo-drama, "by the permission of John McCullough," C. B. Bishop, Tom Keene, Nelson Decker, Murray Woods, R. Donaruma, H. Bradley, Miss Ellie Wilton and Miss Carrie Wyatt; "by the permission," as the bills said, "of Tom Maguire," M. A. Kennedy, John Jack, A. D. Billings, F. Kilday, Eleanor Carey; "by the permission of M. J. McDonald," Charles Edmonds; "by the permission of S. Tetlow," W. C. Crosbie, Signor Tagliapietra, Alice Harrison, Cogill and Cooper, Baby McDonald, Mons. Alfred Perrier, Johnny De Angelis, Bree and Stanwood and J. H. Larkin and Carrie Armstrong.

At the close of the performance all the members of the order appeared on the stage and sang "Auld Lang Syne" to the accompaniment of the large orchestra, the immense audience joining in the chorus.

The first member of the order to die was C. F. McIntyre, whose demise took place at Sacramento. A large delegation of the order went to the capital city and escorted the remains to Anthony's hall on Bush street, where the funeral exercises were held.

The place was thronged by the most distinguished people of the time and everything was on a scale of completeness, showing the esteem in which the deceased brother had been held, and which has been characteristic of the order up to the present time.

The eulogy was delivered by Tom Keene. It was an eloquent effort, and was delivered with all the grace and fervor and effect of the polished elocutionist. The remains were borne to Lone Mountain, the pall-bearers being Leslie Blackburn, W. Courtright, Nelson Decker, John Rittigan, J. Condon, M. Woods, J. Cogill, W. Lipsis.

The order continued to flourish, and finally lodge No. 12 was organized in San Francisco. Later No. 3 and No. 12 were merged, and now the lodge in San Francisco is known as No. 6.

OAKLAND LODGE, B. P. O. E.

In course of time the order was extended to this city, and it may be within the province of the writer at some time later to give a few rambling reflections as to how the home organization has attained its present standing.

Oakland lodge gives a grand social session tonight, at which a pleasant time is promised.

The bronze elk, intended to mark Elks' rest in Mt. View cemetery has been cast and will shortly be put in place.

TREATMENT OF TEETH.

The Dental Association Is Making Good Researches.

At the session of the California State Association in San Francisco "Surgical Treatment of Ulcerated Teeth" was the subject of a paper by Dr. Parsons of San Diego.

Dr. Russell H. Cool of this city opened the discussion on the subject by saying that he thought there is room for hope that the improvement in this branch of dentistry would continue, so that such a thing as the loss of a tooth from these causes would not be possible. Dr. Cool referred to the introduction of the use of lactic acid by Dr. Younger, who continued the discussion.

Dr. Marian Craig, of this city, who has been practicing for five years, made application for membership in the association. She will be the second woman who has been admitted to fellowship in the organization, the first one being Miss McElroy, a niece of Warden Hale of San Quentin.

DAINTIEST OF ALL REPTILES.

Prohibition State Turns Out the Snake Story of the Season.

J. W. Miller, a farmer of Harvey county, Kan., has lost eight cows during the past six weeks as the result of the strange freaks of bull snakes. Mr. Miller was at a loss to account for this state of affairs, and after he had lost eight cows he spent a day with the animals to watch developments. He was rewarded with the strangest sight he had ever witnessed. A monster bull snake, eight feet in length, appeared in the pasture, and, raising itself to the udder of the cow, grasped the teat with its mouth and sucked out the milk. When it had satisfied its hunger it dropped off. Mr. Miller killed this and five other large bull snakes which he found in his pasture, and since that time his cows have not been troubled.

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CONFIDENCE IS COMING.

A Better Feeling Noticed in the Eastern Marts.

Big Advances Are Now Anticipated After the Harvest Season.

(Special Correspondence to The Tribune.)
New York, July 6, 1895.

The Stock market has entered upon a distinctly new stage, new not so far as respects the main underlying conditions—in which there is no change—but in respect to the current speculative attitude and tactics of operators. The triumphant "bull" campaign of the last three months has brought about a new situation. Prices have risen to a pitch that surprises even the most sanguine, and "bull" operators have made extraordinary profits. Among conservative speculators, there is a feeling that prices are now, as a rule, up to what the immediate facts of the situation warrant. It is conceded that the general drift of the conditions that control values suggests the expectation of a further advance when the harvest has been gathered and its beneficial aftereffects upon trade begin to appear.

But between now and then there is an interval of some weeks, during which possibly no influential developments may be forthcoming. As a matter of speculative tactics, it appears desirable, to professional speculators, that this interval might well be used for the purpose of realizing profits on strong rallies and thereby laying the basis for repurchases at a later stage, with a view to a new upward movement in the fall. Also, the absence of operators on their summer vacations is encouraging to this sort of attitude.

It is not to be supposed that the "bears" will allow the opportunity to pass unimproved. A long experience of conditions adverse to their side has made them impatient for an opportunity for attack; and it is not likely they will permit the partial lull in "bull" activity to go unappropriated for their benefit. We do not undertake to say how far they will venture in making reprisals on the reposing "bulls" nor how far the "bulls" are likely to retaliate. Our judement is that the pessimists are likely to prove cautious, and that the optimists will not be found willing to part with any considerable amount of stock at much lower prices. Nevertheless, the "bears" may be expected to do their best, for the early future, to test the market at what they conceive to be its weak points, as much perhaps from a mere spirit of fight as from any strong hope of making a distinct impression on prices. The late fierce attack on the industrials and the attempts to stiffen the rates of foreign exchange are a part of these tactics; the failure of the break in the industrials to break the railroad list is a sample, however, of the sort of result the "bears" may expect from all such movements.

But while immediate conditions seem to favor a temporary lull in the larger speculative operations, it is not impossible that events near at hand may revive the buying movement sooner than is now anticipated. The reconstruction proceedings in the bankrupt railroads are now making rapid progress, and announcements may be forthcoming at any moment which would create a new excitement and bring into the market a mass of stocks that have been tied up pending these re-adjustments.

Moreover, the corn crop has possibilities of proving a very important element in the value of the stocks of roads serving the great corn belt. Should the crop maintain its present promise to the end of the season it will prove a very valuable help towards the more complete revival of business throughout the country. To sum up the matter, while the position of affairs at the moment seems to tend towards a temporary lull in speculation and possibly to moderate fluctuations in prices, yet this position may quite possibly change for a revival of "bull" activity.

London is no longer a leading factor. That market perceives that New York is now capable of taking care of itself and of the foreign markets at the same time. It sees that a great confidence has taken hold upon our people; that power commands the confidence of London; and Europe may therefore be expected to follow the drift of our home market rather than antagonize it so long as it tends to increase profits upon foreign holdings.

HENRY CLEWS.

AS OTHERS SEE US.

For the past six years at intervals the orthodox ministers of San Francisco and Oakland have been making attacks upon Professor Joseph Le Conte of the State University upon the subject of Evolution the ministers claiming Professor Le Conte's doctrine of evolution was leading the students into hopeless heterodoxy. The Professor has not noticed many of the arrows that have been shot at him, consequently they fell to the ground without doing any harm. Those whom he did notice and answer, however retired from the controversy badly wounded. At that during the course of his remarks Professor Le Conte said that evolution was as firmly established a scientific fact as the law of gravitation. Now the Rev. V. Marshall Law, rector of the Church of the Advent of East Oakland has attacked the Professor, who is absent in Denver. The reverend gentleman, in his attack, steers clear of anything Le Conte has said, and makes no argument himself. We do not believe that Professor Le Conte will pay any attention to Mr. Law but if he does he will flay him with Mr. Law's own argument.—Berkeley Gazette.

W. J. Dingee, the well-known real estate agent and President of the Oakland Water Works Company, is one of about a hundred heirs who expect to come into possession of the estate of Samuel Dingee, deceased, of Westchester, New York, valued at about $95,000,000. Mr. Dingee is a nephew of deceased. He expects that the contest over the estate will assume a national interest, as claimants live in all parts of the United States.—Alameda Encinal.

It was a treat which we fear was not truly appreciated—the poem written by Miss Ina D. Coolbrith and read by her at the Fourth of July celebration in Oakland. California has produced some very sweet singers, but almost always they have had to go away to find ears that could properly appreciate their melody. —Alameda Argus.

An East Oakland clergyman disagrees with Professor Le Conte. So have several other people, but Le Conte still pursues the even tenor of his way.—Berkeley Dispatch.

The present squabble among the members of Oakland's government will enable its citizens to feel the shame which was felt by Berkeleyites under the late regime.—Berkeley Dispatch.

Director Wills at this point (Board of Education meeting) sent to the clerk's desk a communication signed by Miss E. A. Packard, in which the lady withdrew her application for reappointment in the local schools, she having accepted a position in the Oakland High School. Miss Packard has been connected with the schools of this city for a period of ten years, and she leaves because she had been unable to obtain from the teachers' committee of the board an assurance that she would be reappointed.—Los Angeles Herald.

About 50 pounds of the Holy Terror rock was so rich in gold that it was shipped direct to the mint from the Adams Express office at Hill City, S. D.

DARING CATTLE THIEVES.

An Organized Gang Is Plying in the North-West.

Indications That the Settlers Are About to Tackle Them.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, July 11.—A dispatch from Chamberlain, S. D., says:

A lawless state of affairs exists in the north central portion of Nebraska and the adjacent territory in South Dakota, and only the most vigorous measures on the part of the authorities will remedy many of the evils existing.

For years the country between Lyman county, directly west of here, and Holt and Keyapaha counties, Neb., has been infested by what appears to be an organized gang of cattle and horse thieves.

Enough has been learned to make it a certainty that this band has convenient rendezvous at various points through the fifty or sixty miles of territory where it operates.

Cattle and horses that stray toward White river disappear with great regularity, as also do cattle and horses belonging to farmers and stockmen residing throughout that portion of South Dakota.

This leads to the conclusion that the thieves take the stock stolen from South Dakota farmers and ranchmen and dispose of them to the settlers in Nebraska.

Certain residents of the infested region who have no visible means of support are suspected of being in league with the thieves, but no positive evidence has as yet been secured against them.

Gangs of horse and cattle thieves have been practically wiped out of existence on several occasions in Northern Nebraska and Southern South Dakota during the last twenty years by the enraged settlers, and there are indications that the same effective measures will be resorted to again.

THE DAYS WERE BRIGHT.

The Monthly Weather Review From the State University.

The statement of the meteorological department of the State university for June shows there were 21 clear, 5 fair and 4 cloudy days last month. The mean temperature of the month was 59 deg. 3 min. The warmest day was the 18th and the temperature was 90 deg. There was no rain during the month. The total rainfall during the season was 39.008 inches.

ENTERPRISE PAYS.

Oakland Can Take Some Good Lessons From Stockton.

At the meeting of the Fourth of July Committee of Arrangements last night, Mayor Davie and Mayor Baggs of Stockton were present, the latter as the guest of Mayor Davie. Mayor Baggs spoke about the success of the recent Fourth of July celebration here as also of that which was held in Stockton. He then told of the progress Stockton is making, the encouragement it has given the San Joaquin Valley road and the benefits it expects to derive from the construction of the Corral Valley line.

Mayor Davie said it would pay to send the City Council to Stockton on a thirty day's visit, where there are to be seen 2000 or 3000 feet of warehouses. He said he wanted the Merchants' Exchange to call a mass meeting and demand that the City Council rescind the ordinance it passed recently granting to J. P. Taylor permission to erect coal bunkers on the wharf at the foot of Franklin street.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

DEEDS.

THURSDAY, JULY 11, 1895.

Elizabeth Daisley to John Daisley, S 19th st, 125, W Grove W 32.6 x S 107.6, blk A, Grove st. Hd.; $10.

H. B. Houghton to Mary A. and Isabella Nicol, SE 34th and Adeline E 40 x S 100, being portion lot 6, blk 676, Watts tract, map 2; $10.

William H. Graham to Maggie A. Graham, lots 11 and 12, Piedmont Villa tract, being portion plot 19, Ro V. and D. Peralta; gift.

Charles F. and Julia Weld to Mary B. Johnson, S Ward st. 100, E Lowell E 25 x S 135, being lot 4, blk 31, resub Smith's sub, Mathews tract; $10.

Christopher C. Wedd to Augusta Dobrzensky, lot 14, blk 12, Central Park at Alcatraz and Newbury station; $10.

F. N. Wood to L. Clinton, lot 23, blk 14, College Hd. tract; QCD; $10.

Elizabeth Mack, wife of Albert, to Josephine M. Boag, S Forest av. 307.6, E Center st. E 61.6 x S 102.5, being lot 17, blk D, Berkeley Hd. Assn.; $10.

Gertrude B. Wurts to same, S Forest av. 430.6, E Center st. E 61.6 x S 102.5, lot 15, blk D, Berkeley Hd. Assn.; $10.

Ingar and Henry C. Ingram to James A. and Sarah J. Crosby, commencing at a stake in center of Osgood av. at N corner 10 acre tract of Ingram, thence SE 105.6 ft, thence SW 7.93 chains, thence NW 105.6 feet, thence NE 7.92 chains to beginning, containing 1.32 acres, portion lot 15, map of plots 1 to 52, and blks A to E, La Societe Francaise, lands etc., Irvington; $5.

Francis and Elizabeth D. Ferrier to J. Greenhood, E Hollis st. 225, S Yerba Buena av. E 125, S 173.5, W 125, N 185.8 to beginning, lots 8, 9, and 10, blk 14, in plot 6, Ro V. and D. Peralta; $10.

Michele Contini, et al, to J. Mitchell and S. H. Steward, N 5th st. 75, W Grove W 37.6 x N 100, being lot 23 and E ½ lot 24, blk 50; grant.

William and Anna E. Bolza to A. W. Cornelius, W West 40.2, N Lydia N 40.2 x W 100, being portion lots 7 and 8, blk G, Curtis and Williams tract; $10.

E. M. and Belle Heller to Ella G. Joyce, N 20th st. 293 1¾, W 23d av. W 30 x N 150, being portion lot 2, blk D, sub. 50, Associates tract; $10.

D. C. Campbell to Mary G. Blodgett, SE 19th av. 60, SW E 15th st. SW 40 x SE 75, being portion lots 22, 23, and 24, blk 21, San Antonio, subject to a mortgage; $10.

Manuel M. Ayala to G. A. Stevens, 1.41 acres beginning at SE corner residence property Francisco Galindo, dec'd in W line Telegraph av., thence SW 210.53, NW 215.80, NW 303.42, SE 358.17 to beginning, being portion plot 94, Ro V. and D. Peralta; $10.

G. A. and Fannie L. Stevens to Edward C. Dozier, same; $10.

Charles A. and Alice C. Bailey to Robert B. Moorehead, N Ashby av. 220, W Newbury st. W 40 x N 100, being the E ½ lot 2, and W ½ lot 3, blk A, Adeline tract; $5.

Charles L. and Lilly F. Tilden to Ruth A. Armstrong, N Bancroft Way 100, E Choate st. E 60 x N 120, being portion Hillegass tract N of Bancroft Way; $1800.

M. J. and Annie F. Wallace to Mary Courtney, N San Antonio av. 200, W Willow st. W 50 x N 150, being lot 5 in E ½ blk G, lands adjacent to Encinal; $10.

A. J. and Nancy Smithson to J. J. Scrivner, 153.44 acres commencing at a point on S line county road Pleasanton to Livermore, 18.30 chains E from its intersection with W boundary line plot 7, thence SW 31.10 chains, NW 10.62 chains, NW 11.88 chains, S 21.91 chains, E 47.10 chains, N 44.32 chains, SW 29.93 chains to beginning; $10.

PERKINS OUT FOR IT.

Senator Dolph's Committee is Greatly in Demand.

It Is a Matter of Considerable Importance to the Coast.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, July 11.—There promises to be quite a contest among the Republican members of the Senate from the Pacific coast states for the position on the committee on commerce which has heretofore been filled by Senator Dolph of Oregon.

It is understood that Senators Perkins of California, McBride of Oregon and Squire of Washington would each like to secure the appointment, while Senator Wilson of Washington would accept the position if tendered him and Senator Mitchell of Oregon might take it under certain conditions.

The place is considered one of special importance as the committee deals with all questions of commerce which come before the Senate and acts in an advisory capacity to the appropriations committee in recommending appropriations for river and harbor improvements.

There are naturally many places along the Pacific coast from Puget sound to the Mexican border which seek preference at the hands of Congress and the rivalry between them is quite sharp.

The possibility of the extension of the trade of the United States with oriental countries also enhances the importance of the appointment at this time in the eyes of the Western men.

Being the oldest senator of the five mentioned and coming from the same state that Senator Dolph represented, Senator Mitchell could probably secure the position if disposed to accept it at the sacrifice of some other important committee assignment.

He occupies a peculiarly commanding position on the Senate committees, standing as he does at the head of the Republican representation on the committees on claims, postoffices and privileges and elections.

In case of the organization of the Senate by the Republicans he will naturally be assigned to the chairmanship of his choice of those committees and will hold his position next to the chairman on the other two unless he voluntarily resigns to accept a position on some other committee like commerce, of which he is not now a member. He will probably not make this transfer.

It is understood among his colleagues that he would prefer to allow his own assignments to remain as they are if he could secure the appointment of his colleague, Mr. McBride, to the commerce vacancy.

He realizes, however, that it will be difficult to secure for a new member an assignment of the importance of this and one which is sought by older senators.

Senator Perkins will be met with the objections that Senator White of his own state is now a member of the committee.

Mr. Wilson of Washington is not a candidate in the ordinary sense, but some of his friends are urging his fitness for the place.

The same objections which apply in Mr. McBride's case would hold in Mr. Wilson's. The latter would enjoy a slight advantage from the circumstances of having served in the House before his election to the Senate.

At present, therefore, the chances seem most favorable to Senator Squire's candidacy.

The selection would depend on the turn affairs may take at the beginning of the next session, and it is impossible to foretell to whom the assignment will go.

There is very little or no doubt, however, that some one of the Pacific coast senators will be appointed to the place.

MANNION RETURNS.

The Fugitive Druggist Writes to a Friend From Sacramento.

Hugh F. Mannion, who startled his friends by disappearing some weeks ago with Miss Kate Winslow, whom he inveigled through mock marriage into departing with him, has been located in Sacramento. He deserted his quondam bride, and learning of a warrant for his arrest, failed to come back to Oakland.

He has written that he does not propose to return. Mrs. Mannion, his deserted wife, says: "That man has cost me at least $20,000. I sold my home to start him in business and he ran through with the money. Two years ago he went off with $600 of my son's money and stayed in Mexico until it was all gone; then he returned home and was so penitent that I forgave him and let the matter drop. I hope he will yet do the State good work in the rock quarry at Folsom.

"When he left here he took my watch and chain and all my diamonds and my son's watch. So you see he is an embezzler, bigamist and a thief."

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This young and energetic firm is now conducting a wholesale and retail paper business, and in it the house will afford the people the same favorable rates, the same courteous attendance, and the same opportunity to obtain the best goods in its line that characterized the career of the firm of S. P. Taylor & Co., and later the S. P. Taylor Paper Company.

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LOCATIONS FOR FARMS.

A Committee of Seven Is to Represent the West.

There Is to Be a Permanen Exhibit at Chicago.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, July 11.—At last night's session of the Western Society Dr. John Rusk said he was constantly beseiged by members of his church and other churches who desired information regarding wise locations for farms. This he was unable to furnish and he considered the establishment of a bureau by the society would do good.

It was decided to place the matter in the hands of a committee. The following resolution was adopted accordingly:

"Resolved, That a committee on exhibition and literature, consisting of seven members, representing the various sections of the West, be appointed by the chair and that the duty of said committee shall be to obtain as far as possible an exhibit and support from each of the Western states, and gather statistics and material necessary for the preparation of descriptive literature."

The following were appointed: Col. Whyte S. Merry, director of the Agricultural college, Bozeman, Mont.; G. O. Cannon, president Mormon church, Salt Lake; George R. Buckman, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, Colorado Springs; E. S. Willard, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce of Los Angeles, and G. E. Girling, secretary of the National Colonial Club.

This committee will begin the preparation of plans at once for the establishment of a permanent Western exhibit in Chicago.

Buchanan was a bad man. He deserved the punishment he received, and it was necessary to the public safety that he should suffer it. But the devotion shown by his wife, who up to the very hour of execution exerted herself tirelessly to save him, deserves and commands the admiration and sympathy of every right-minded man. In the love of women we have the only absolutely unreasoning and unselfish thing in the world.—N. Y. World.

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CONFIDENCE IS COMING.

A Better Feeling Noticed in the Eastern Marts.

Big Advances Are Now Anticipated After the Harvest Season.

(Special Correspondence to The Tribune.)
New York, July 6, 1895.

The stock market has entered upon a distinctly new stage, new not so far as respects the main underlying conditions upon which there is no change—but in respect to the current speculative attitude and tactics of operators. The triumphant full campaign of the first three months has brought about the situation. Prices have given to a pitch that surprised even the most sanguine and fully operators have made extraordinary profits. Among conservative speculators there is a feeling that it is now a matter up to what the immediate future of the situation will mean. It is conceded that the general influences and conditions that control values seem to justify the expectation of an advance, even if the advance has been partially discounted and be beneficial after effects may be looked for to appear.

But between now and then there is an interval of six weeks during which possibly no influential developments may be forthcoming. As a matter of special interest it appears desirable to discuss conditions that this interval may, it will be used for the purpose of realizing profits on strong rallies and the buying for the basis for a further advance with New York full. Also the observation of prominent men of opinion in touching to this sort of attitude.

It is not to be supposed that the bears will lose an opportunity to issue unimpeded. Attempts will be made to discourage the public from buying for the rise, and to induce the belief that the market will certainly be partially full in the autumn. It is to be supposed that the bears will not be willing to put with any considerable amount of stock, and much lower prices. Nevertheless the bears may be expected to point out for the early future that what they may consider weak points as much perhaps from motives of policy, from a strong position, and is not impressive. The late Western attack on the railroads and the attempts to cut off the rates of foreign exchange are a part of the effort of the industrials to break the rally. Against these, however, the friends of the railroads may expect protection from movements.

But while many favorable conditions seem to favor a very early fall in the prices of securities, it is not improbable that some of the influences may give the bears a good opportunity. The reorganization of the bankrupt railroads are now making rapid progress, and announcements may be for coming at any moment which will create a new element in the market. A class of stock which has been picked up pending the reorganizations.

Moreover the country has possibilities of promoting an Indian element in the value of the stocks of roads serving the great West. Should the Indian maintain a peaceful attitude to the end of the season, it would be a very important factor towards the more complete revival of business throughout the country. The summer, however, while the population of all sorts at the moment seems to tend towards a temporary lull in speculation and possibly to more active fluctuations in prices, this position may cause possibly change for a revival of full activity.

Foreign is no less a leading factor. That may be expected that New York is now capable of taking care of itself and of the foreign markets at the same time. It seems that a strong confidence has taken hold upon the people, the power commands the confidence of London and Europe may be expected to follow the drift of our home market rather than to lead it. It seems to be in this to increase profits upon our holdings.

HENRY CLEWS.

AS OTHERS SEE US

For the past six years at intervals the orthodox ministers of San Francisco and Oakland have been making attacks upon Professor Joseph Le Conte of the State University upon the subject of Evolution, the ministers claiming Professor Le Conte's doctrine of evolution was leading the students into hopeless heterodoxy. The Professor has not noticed many of the arrows that have been shot at him, consequently they fell to the ground without doing any harm, those whom he did notice and answer, however, retired from the controversy badly wounded. At that during the course of his remarks Professor Le Conte said that evolution was as firmly established a scientific fact as the law of gravitation. Now the Rev. V. Marshall Law, rector of the Church of the Advent of East Oakland has attacked the Professor, who is absent in Denver. The reverend gentleman in his attack steers clear of anything Le Conte has said and makes no argument himself. We do not believe that Professor Le Conte will pay any attention to Mr. Law, but if he does he will flay Mr. Law's own argument.—Berkeley Gazette.

W. J. Dingee, the well known real estate agent and President of the Oakland Water Works Company, is one of about a hundred heirs who expect to come into possession of the estate of Samuel Dingee deceased, of Westchester, New York, valued at about $90,000,000. Mr. Dingee is a nephew of deceased. He expects that the contest over the estate will assume a national interest, as claimants live in all parts of the United States.—Alameda Encinal.

It was a treat which we fear was not truly appreciated—the poem written by Miss Ina D. Coolbrith and read by her at the Fourth of July celebration in Oakland. California has produced some very sweet singers, but almost always they have had to go away to find ears that could properly appreciate their melody.—Alameda Argus.

An East Oakland clergyman disagrees with Professor Le Conte. So have several other people, but Le Conte still pursues the even tenor of his way.—Berkeley Dispatch.

The present squabble among the members of Oakland's government will enable its citizens to feel the shame which was felt by Berkeleyites under the late regime.—Berkeley Dispatch.

Director Willis at this point (Board of Education meeting) sent to the clerk's desk a communication signed by Miss E. A. Packard in which the lady withdrew her application for reappointment in the local schools, she having accepted a position in the Oakland High School. Miss Packard has been connected with the schools of this city for a period of ten years, and she leaves because she had been unable to obtain from the teachers' committee of the board an assurance that she would be reappointed.—Los Angeles Herald.

About 800 pounds of the Holy Terror rock was so rich in gold that it was shipped direct to the mint from the Adams Express office at Hill City, S. D.

DARING CATTLE THIEVES.

An Organized Gang Is Plying in the North-West.

Indications That the Settlers Are About to Tackle Them.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, July 11.—A dispatch from Chamberlain, S. D., says:

A lawless state of affairs exists in the north central portion of Nebraska and the adjacent territory in South Dakota and only the most vigorous measures on the part of the authorities will remedy many of the evils existing.

For years the country between Lyman county directly west of here and Holt and Knox counties, Neb., has been infested by what appears to be an organized gang of cattle and horse thieves.

Enough has been learned to make it a certainty that this band has convenient rendezvous at various points through the fifty or sixty miles of territory where it operates.

Cattle and horses that stray toward White river disappear with great regularity, as also do cattle and horses belonging to farmers and stockmen residing throughout that portion of South Dakota.

This leads to the conclusion that the thieves take the stock stolen from South Dakota farmers and ranchmen and dispose of them to the settlers in Nebraska.

Certain residents of the infested region who have no visible means of support are suspected of being in league with the thieves, but no positive evidence has as yet been secured against them.

Gangs of horse and cattle thieves have been practically wiped out of existence on several occasions in Northern Nebraska and Southern South Dakota during the last twenty years by the enraged settlers, and there are indications that the same effective measures will be resorted to again.

THE DAYS WERE BRIGHT.

The Monthly Weather Review From the State University.

The statement of the meteorological department of the State university for June shows there were 21 clear, 5 fair and 4 cloudy days last month. The mean temperature of the month was 69.3 deg. The warmest day was the 8th and the temperature was 90 deg. There was no rain during the month. The total rainfall during the season was 30.008 inches.

ENTERPRISE PAYS.

Oakland Can Take Some Good Lessons From Stockton.

At the meeting of the Fourth of July Committee of Arrangements last night Mayor Davis and Mayor Baggs of Stockton were present, the latter as the guest of Mayor Davis. Mayor Baggs spoke about the success of the recent Fourth of July celebration here as also of that which was held in Stockton. He then told of the progress Stockton is making, the improvement it has given the San Joaquin Valley road and the benefits it expects to derive from the construction of the Corral Valley line.

Mayor Davis said it would pay to send the City Council to Stockton on a thirty days visit where there are to be seen 2000 or 3000 feet of warehouses. He said he wanted the Merchants' Exchange to call a mass meeting and demand that the City Council rescind the ordinance it passed recently granting to J. P. Taylor permission to erect coal bunkers on the wharf at the foot of Franklin street.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

DEEDS.

THURSDAY, JULY 11, 1895.

Elizabeth Daisley to John Daisley, S 14th st 125 W Grove W 32.6 x S 107.6 blk A Grove st Hd, $10.

H. B. Houghton to Mary A. and Isabella Nicol, SE 34th and Adeline E 40 x S 100 being portion lot 6, blk 676, Watts tract, map 2, $10.

William H. Graham to Maggie A. Graham, lots 11 and 12, Piedmont Villa tract, being portion plot 19, Ro V and D Peralta gift.

Charles F. and Julia Weld to Mary B. Johnson, S Ward st 100 E Lowell E 25 x S 135, being lot 4, blk 31, resub Smith's sub Mathews tract, $10.

Christopher C. Wedd to Augusta Dobrzensky, lot 14, blk 12, Central Park at Alcatraz and Newbury station, $10.

F. N. Wood to L. Clinton, lot 23, blk 14, College Hd tract, QCD, $10.

Elizabeth Mack, wife of Albert to Josephine M. Boag, S Forest av 307.6, E Center st E 61.6 x S 102.5, being lot 17, blk D Berkeley Hd Assn, $10.

Gertrude B. Wurts to same, S Forest av 430.6, E Center st E 61.6 x S 102.5, lot 15, blk D Berkeley Hd Assn, $10.

Ingraham and Henry C. Ingram to James A. and Sarah J. Crosby, commencing at a stake in center of Osgood av at N corner 10 acre tract of Ingram, thence SE 105.6 ft, thence SW 7.93 chains, thence NW 105.6 feet, thence NE 7.92 chains to beginning, containing 1.32 acres, portion lot 15, map of plots 1 to 52, and blks A to E, La Societe Francaise, lands etc., Irvington, $5.

Francis and Elizabeth D. Ferrier to J. Greenhood, E Hollis st 22, S Yerba Buena av E 125, S 178.5, W 125, N 185.8 to beginning, lots 8, 9 and 10, blk 14, in plot 6, Ro V and D Peralta, $10.

Michele Contini et al. to J. Mitchell and S. H. Steward, N 5th st 75, W Grove W 37.6 x N 100, being lot 23 and E ½ lot 24, blk 50, grant.

William and Anna E. Bolza to A. W. Cornelius, W West 40.2, N Lydia N 40.2 x W 100, being portion lots 7 and 8, blk G, Curtis and Williams tract, $10.

E. M. and Belle Heller to Ella G. Joyce, N 20 ft st 293.1¾, W 23d av, W 30 x N 150, being portion lot 2, blk D, sub 50 Associates tract, $10.

D. C. Campbell to Mary G. Blodgett, SE 19th av 60, SW E 15th st SW 40 x SE 77, being portion lots 22, 23 and 24, blk 21, San Antonio, subject to a mortgage, $10.

Manuel M. Ayala to G. A. Stevens, 1.41 acres beginning at SE corner residence property Francisco Galindo deed in W line Telegraph av, thence SW 210.53, NW 217.80, NW 303.42, SE 368.17 to beginning, being portion plot 94, Ro V and D Peralta, $10.

G. A. and Fannie L. Stevens to Edward C. Dozier, same, $10.

Charles A. and Alice C. Bailey to Robert B. Moorehead, N Ashby av 230, W Newbury st W 40 x N 100, being the E ½ lot 2 and W ½ lot 3, blk A, Adeline tract, $5.

Charles L. and Lilly F. Tilden to Ruth A. Armstrong, N Bancroft Way 100, E Choate st E 60 x N 120, being portion Hillegass tract N of Bancroft Way, $1800.

M. J. and Annie F. Wallace to Mary Courtney, N San Antonio av 200 W Willow st W 50 x N 150, being lot 5 in E ½ blk G, lands adjacent to Encinal, $10.

A. J. and Nancy Smithson to J. J. Scrivner, 153.44 acres commencing at a point on S line county road Pleasanton to Livermore 18.30 chains E from its intersection with W boundary line plot 7, thence SW 21.10 chains, NW 10.62 chains, NW 11.88 chains, S 21.91 chains, E 47.10 chains, N 44.32 chains, SW 29.93 chains to beginning, $10.

PERKINS OUT FOR IT.

Senator Dolph's Committee is Greatly in Demand.

It Is a Matter of Considerable Importance to the Coast.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, July 11.—There promises to be quite a contest among the Republican members of the Senate from the Pacific coast states for the position on the committee on commerce which has heretofore been filled by Senator Dolph of Oregon.

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The possibility of the extension of the trade of the United States with oriental countries also enhances the importance of the appointment at this time in the eyes of the Western men.

Being the oldest senator of the five mentioned and coming from the same state that Senator Dolph represented, Senator Mitchell could probably secure the position if disposed to accept it at the sacrifice of some other important committee assignment.

He occupies a peculiarly commanding position on the Senate committee, standing as he does at the head of the Republican representation on the committees on claims, postoffices and privileges and elections.

In case of the organization of the Senate by the Republicans he will naturally be assigned to the chairmanship of his choice of those committees and will hold his position next to the chairman on the other two unless he voluntarily resigns to accept a position on some other committee like commerce, of which he is not now a member. He will probably not make this transfer.

It is understood among his colleagues that he would prefer to allow his own assignments to remain as they are if he could secure the appointment of his colleague, Mr. McBride, to the commerce vacancy.

He realizes, however, that it will be difficult to secure for a new member an assignment of the importance of this and one which is sought by older senators.

Senator Perkins will be met with the objections that Senator White of his own state is now a member of the committee.

Mr. Wilson of Washington is not a candidate in the ordinary sense, but some of his friends are urging his fitness for the place.

The same objections which apply in Mr. McBride's case would hold in Mr. Wilson's. The latter would enjoy a slight advantage from the circumstances of having served in the House before his election to the Senate.

At present, therefore, the chances seem most favorable to Senator Squire's candidacy.

The selection would depend on the turn affairs may take at the beginning of the next session, and it is impossible to foretell to whom the assignment will go.

There is very little or no doubt, however, that some one of the Pacific coast senators will be appointed to the place.

MANNION RETURNS.

The Fugitive Druggist Writes to a Friend From Sacramento.

Hugh F. Mannion, who startled his friends by disappearing some weeks ago with Miss Kate Winslow, whom he inveigled through mock marriage into departing with him, has been located in Sacramento. He deserted his quondam bride and learning of a warrant for his arrest, failed to come back to Oakland.

He has written that he does not propose to return. Mrs. Mannion, his deserted wife, says: "That man has cost me at least $20,000. I sold my home to start him in business and he ran through with the money. Two years ago he went off with $500 of my son's money and stayed in Mexico until it was all gone, then he returned home and was so penitent that I forgave him and let the matter drop. I hope he will yet do the State good work in the rock quarry at Folsom.

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LOCATIONS FOR FARMS.

A Committee of Seven Is to Represent the West.

There Is to Be a Permanent Exhibit at Chicago.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, July 11.—At last night's session of the Western Society Dr. John Rusk said he was constantly beseiged by members of his church and other churches who desired information regarding wise locations for farms. This he was unable to furnish and he considered the establishment of a bureau by the society would do good.

It was decided to place the matter in the hands of a committee. The following resolution was adopted accordingly:

Resolved, That a committee on exhibition and literature, consisting of seven members representing the various sections of the West, be appointed by the chair and that the duty of said committee shall be to obtain as far as possible an exhibit and support from each of the Western states and gather statistics and material necessary for the preparation of descriptive literature.

The following were appointed: Col. Whyte S. Merry, director of the Agricultural college, Bozeman, Mont.; G. Q. Cannon, president Mormon church, Salt Lake; George R. Buckman, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, Colorado Springs; E. S. Willard, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce of Los Angeles and G. E. Gilling, secretary of the National Colonial Club.

This committee will begin the preparation of plans at once for the establishment of a permanent Western exhibit in Chicago.

Buchanan was a bad man. He deserved the punishment he received and it was necessary to the public safety that he should suffer it. But the devotion shown by his wife, who up to the very hour of execution exerted herself tirelessly to save him, deserves and commands the admiration and sympathy of every right-minded man. In the love of women we have the only absolutely unreasoning and unselfish thing in the world.—N. Y. World.

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Chat of the Boulevardiers of the City on the Seine.

Special Correspondence of The Tribune.

PARIS, June 22.—The Kiel rejoicings ought to please everyone—even Bismarck, who has again retired, Achilles-like, under his tent. Evidently there is no doing with Germany's G. O. M. Kiel has forced the fact that an orthodox working alliance, for better or for worse, does exist between Russia and France. Perhaps the publication of the bans of the secret marriage became necessary to allay the national discontent at the French fleet being sent to Kiel.

There was a time when such glad tidings of great joy would have provoked flag decorations and illuminations; but these manifestations have not been indulged in. Is there a rift in the lute? Alsace is heart-sorrowed at French sailors going to Kiel, even sailing abreast with the Russian ships, into the harbor to do "Koch" with the conqueror of 1870. But Alsatians ought to remember they have now a big brother on their side. What will or can he do for them?

The triple allies must be delighted to see publicly admitted their vis-a-vis coalition. England is unpledged; however, it may be concluded she knows on which side her bread is buttered. But, what is apparently overlooked, England has the moral support of the United States, the only power that could seriously embarrass her, on account of her policy in Armenia and declining to manacle the expansion of Japan. Until the lights are shed in the banquet halls of Kiel and the honeymoon of the formal declaration of the alliance between France and Russia over, diplomacy will not actively enter into the scene. France and Russia are today where they were yesterday, save that they have given England the excuse, the opportunity to join the triple alliance when the occasion comes. Even united France and Russia cannot command the diplomatic sun to stand still—if they be in a hurry the consequences will be disastrous.

Until the price of Russia's help to China be known the far east question must remain in statu quo. Invading a country by railways may prove as inconvenient as over-running it with troops. A railway may turn out to be a fin de siecle name for a coaling station. A coalition was formed to restrain Japan from occupying Port Arthur, and another coalition can be formed to prevent Russia effecting for herself what she refused to Japan.

CARNOT'S ANNIVERSARY.

It is already a twelvemonth since M. Carnot was assassinated. He gave his last official dinner at the Elysee on the 20th June, 1894, and really never was happier; in his chronicly grave smile there was less gravity. At the moment he was welcoming his guests the assassin that was to take his life four days later was bargaining the price of the fatal dagger.

The Republic will keep the anniversary of Carnot's death a red-letter day in its calendar by a political ceremony in the Pantheon, where the remains repose, and an in memoriam mass at the Madeline for those who wish to join in the prayers. Such events ought to be kept green in the souls of nations. It is denied—but that may be true later on, since the young people are "deeply attached to each other," that M. Carnot's second son, a captain, is to be married to the wealthy Jewess, Mdlle. Lazard, whose father is a banker and merchant. Thus would be illustrated the late President's solution for the Israelitish question in France, marriages between Christians and Jews.

A TEMPERANCE MOVE.

Deputy Reinach has brought in his local veto bill. It may be said at once that it has no chance of ever becoming law. The small temperance party support it, but they are not either an organized or a powerful body, such as exists in England and America. Again as a rule the French are a very sober people, though not as much so as they were before 1870-71.

The working classes save their money and do not squander it in drink; and the wives, when they have the upper hand, and the social solution of France largely depends upon petticoat government, will never allow the wages earned to leak away in "beverages." After all the working classes do not drink to become sponges, but they pass too much of their time in the wine shops, and will make a glass of something do duty for a whole evening. In the daytime the workmen have "halts" besides meal hours, during which they run for 20 minutes to the nearest pub, and five or six club to have a bottle of wine, which means two sous each. But during hours of labor they never touch brandy or absinthe, and beer is too dear.

The Reinach bill would strike at national modes of life. There are two classes of beverage centers, the cafe and the eating house or restaurant, from its initial form the gargote, where food in every abominable form is to be obtained, and in comparison with which the cats' meat of London is a dainty dish. In the cafe the clients, no matter how humble, enter and are attentively served. Naturally the workers prefer cafes suited to their condition. Several of these are fitted up with six or twelve billiard tables, and have cards, backgammon, chess, draughts, dominoes, etc. Rarely newspapers are provided, but every person has his 1 sou paper, the journal of his choice and he never reads a second. Now the most infallible test of trade, etc., being brisk is when the billi and tables are well patronized, when their green cloth remains under the hall and the workers are doing short commons, which implies frugality, not drinking.

It is with the traiteur, and humble, but higher class of eating house, that most of the drink mischief is done. There the worker, if unmarried, invariably takes his meals, and is certain to have a running account with the house that will give him credit when out of work. He drinks naturally and more so when in sorrow; it is then he seeks consolation in that "fairy with the green eyes"—absinthe. It is a most seductive drink, but once it captures, the siren never lets go her victims. It is also unfortunately very cheap and infamously adulterated. Nearly all classes drink absinthe now. Thirty years ago it was taken on the sly, as cachetta, just as one peruses a naughty novel. It is a fatal present made by Algeria to Continental France, as absinthe was the sole "pick-me-up" the officers found to be an antidote against the deliquescent character of the colonial climate. There is a wide field for humane intervention by preventing the adulteration of drinks, which in the aggregate are all poisonous compounds. It is authoritatively demonstrated that the cognac sold to the rag picker and the "nip" supplied at twelve times the price are the same.

The alcohol is adulterated, and that is the base of all the drinks in the country. Hence the importance of the project now under discussion, the monopolizing by the State of the distilleries, like the manufacture of tobacco stamps, etc., and produce a uniform and pure type of convertible brandy at a cheaper price, while quadrupling the duty, etc. By this means the public health would be saved and an immediate augmentation of 800,000,000 francs annually secured for the revenue.

Every seller of drink has his laboratory, or blending cellar, where chemical miracles are performed. The workman's taste demands a beverage that will titillate his palate and rasp his throat. When the insurgents in the 1848 Revolution invaded the Tuileries, they broke into Louis Philippe's wine cellar, reputed to have the greatest collection of delicate brands in France. His Majesty kept the key himself, and the greatest compliment he could pay a guest at the royal table was to personally go to the cellar and bring up a well cobwebbed bottle. He was homely, so was the Queen, who darned her son's stockings.

And what did the insurgents with the delicate wines? Pronounce them to be atrocious; knocked in the heads of the casks, smashed the bottles and commanded "genuine wines" from the neighboring rum holes. The Ministry aims to abolish all duties on beer, cider, wine and "food" beverages, making their cost so cheap as to render adulterating unremunerative.

To limit the number of dram shops is impossible; there are no licenses required for the sale of liquors; trades are taxed according to the volume and importance of their business and rent—the articles sold are not considered. Hence, why the coalman sells wine—and not the worst beer or hogwash liquors, whose composition may only be known at the Day of Judgment, newspapers, vegetables and poultry.

THE SEASON LINGERS.

Paris is not thinning, as was hitherto her wont, after the Grand Prix; even fashionables have become more commonsenable. It is only at the close of next month that the real exodus will commence by the breaking up of the schools. No showy seaside resorts are in favor; some declare them to be simply cosmopolitan centers of disease spores, so retired or out of the way localities or nooks are selected.

The truth, however, is that people have not the means to indulge in splashes and dashes. By the reduction of 1 per cent in the interest in stocks thousands have had their incomes reduced 20 per cent—and that is no joking matter for families daily engaged in the problem of how to make both ends meet. And it is here the best elements in the French character show. The French, as a rule, do not live to keep up appearances. They will tell you they have to practice economy and they will do so; at the cafe they will put two, instead of three, of the uniform four lumps of sugar in their cup of coffee, and the other two in their pocket; they will reduce the tip to the waiter—a noble resolution—50 per cent by giving one sou instead of two; they will club to subscribe for a daily paper where formerly they ventured on a sheet for themselves; they now find omnibuses superior to cabs, and one bottle of wine must do duty for two days. The principle of thus taking in sail is admirable, only it is not applied to the taxation of the country.

Where it can be accomplished, families or relatives will renounce housekeeping and meal with some member who will organize for them a private table d'hote; hence fewer servants and saving of market pennies. Does this evolution explain why the Prime Minister has abandoned his project for taxing domestics? The shop keepers who had their villa summer home in the suburbs either sell it, if they can, close it, if they must, or let some of the rooms. They come to town in the cheaper tram-car, and try a lower grade railway compartment. Their greater importance and veneration are attached to old clothes. Even in sport ambition is moderated; the citizen will angle in the Seine, which costs nothing, and where he catches about as much, instead of having his license and three days out in September to blaze away at partridges over a district where the poachers have saved him all anxiety about the birds.

A part-perspective view of the entrance facade of the 1900 exhibition has been published for the use of the general commission, to work the money side of the question. There is not a particle of enthusiasm over the birds-eye view; indeed, the French at the present moment have no gush for anything; not even for the Russian alliance. In exhibition architecture originality has been played out. Vastness is made to mark the absence of beauty. Parisians are not able to grasp the promised advantages, making a great hole for the new cross avenue on the site of the Palace of Industry. Some Anglo-Americans are, however, satisfied, as they applied for a site for a monster hotel.

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PROPOSALS FOR SUPPLIES.

—FOR THE—
COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

REQUIRED BY THE VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS OF THE COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Board of Supervisors of Alameda county at the board rooms in the annex to the Hall of Records in the city of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, until 12 o'clock M., on Monday, July 15, 1895, (at which time and place they will be opened in the presence of the bidders) for furnishing and delivering at such times and in such places and in such quantities as may be required, supplies for the Alameda County Infirmary, the various departments of the County Government, Hall of Records, at the County Jail and Receiving Hospital of the County of Alameda, consisting of fish, drugs and medicines, stationery, etc., and other staple supplies, from date of contract to June 30th, 1896, inclusive, as per specifications and provisions of schedules to be furnished by the Clerk of this Board, adopted by this Board this day, and according to the conditions and requirements of such schedules contained. The County of Alameda, through the Board of Supervisors, reserves the right to use in the several departments of the County Government greater or less quantities than enumerated in the proposals and schedules should the public interests so require, and to accept the lowest bid on each article of each class.

The Board of Supervisors also in considering said bids reserves the right to accept or reject all or any of them or accept a part of any bid or proposal presented. Samples of all staple articles are to be presented for examination by the Board of Supervisors at the board room, the same to be properly marked with name of bidder and schedule number.

All supplies and materials furnished to be subject to the approval of the department ordering the same and to the satisfaction of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda county. No bid will be considered unless made upon said schedules nor unless accompanied by certified check payable to the order of Frank C. Jordan, clerk of the Board of Supervisors, certified to by some responsible bank for an amount which shall not be less than 10 per cent of the aggregate amount of the proposal or proposals which accompanies. Said check to be forfeited to the County of Alameda, as agreed and liquidated damages, should the party or parties to whom the contract shall be awarded fail to enter into the contract within ten (10) days after the award, or fail to give a bond required by the Board for the faithful performance of the contract. Payment for all supplies will be made in the manner prescribed by the Legislature of the State of California. All bids must be inclosed in sealed envelopes, addressed to the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, and be indorsed on the envelopes furnished by the Clerk, "Proposals for furnishing supplies for the County of Alameda required by the various departments of the County Government," giving the general name and number as on the schedules or as otherwise provided in schedules.

Dated, July 1, 1895.

HIRAM BAILEY, Chairman Board of Supervisors Alameda County, California.
(Seal) Frank C. Jordan, Clerk.

County Board of Equalization.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS OF ALAMEDA COUNTY.

Office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, California.

Public notice is hereby given that the assessment rolls of the fiscal year 1895 of Alameda county, California, have been completed and delivered to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of said county and that the same will be open for inspection at the said Clerk's office in the annex to the Hall of Records in the City of Oakland, from 9 o'clock A. M. to 5 o'clock P. M. every day except Sunday.

Notice is also given that the Board of Supervisors of said county sat as a County Board of Equalization on Monday, July 1st, 1895, and adjourned until Saturday, July 6th, 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day from and after which time they will continue in session from time to time until the business of equalization is disposed of and said Board will not sit later than Monday, July 15th, 1895.

Application for reduction or correction of assessment must be made in writing duly verified by the oath of the property owner or a duly authorized agent. Blanks for application for reduction or increase of assessment may be obtained at said Clerk's office.

By order of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda county, California.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
Dated, Oakland, July 1st, 1895.

PROBATE NOTICE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Mary Newland, deceased.

Notice of the time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Mary Newland, deceased, and for the issuance to Martha Newland, of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this court, and that Monday, the 22d day of July, A. D. 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the court room of Department No. 1, of said court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in the County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, July 6th, 1895.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. ADAMS, Deputy Clerk.
Dodge & Fry, attorneys for petitioner, 906 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

PROBATE NOTICE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of William R. Barron, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of William R. Barron, deceased, and for the issuance to Mary F. Barron of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this court, and that Monday, the 1st day of July, A. D. 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the courtroom of department No. 1, of said court, at the Court house in the City of Oakland, in the County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, June 15th, 1895.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. ADAMS, Deputy Clerk.

Alameda County Land Company.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Alameda County Land Company, of Oakland, California, will be held at 1101 Broadway street, in the City of Oakland, State of California, on Wednesday, the 24th day of July, 1895, at 4 o'clock P. M.

W. H. HIGH, JR., Secretary.

IF YOU WISH

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L. C. BEEM,

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LEGAL.

OFFICE OF THE Assessor of Alameda County.

POLL TAX NOTICE.

OAKLAND, March 4, 1895.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the State Poll Tax of two dollars for the year 1895, is now due and payable at my office, room 1, Courthouse, or to a Deputy Assessor.

Sec. 3839 of the Political Code reads as follows:

Every male inhabitant of the State over twenty-one and under sixty years of age, except paupers, insane persons and Indians, not taxed, must annually pay a Poll Tax of two dollars, provided the same be paid between the first Monday in March and the first Monday in July, then it shall be three dollars.

Sec. 3846 of the Political Code makes it the duty of the Assessor to "demand Poll Tax of every person liable therefor, and on the neglect or refusal of such persons to pay, he must collect by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person."

Under sections 429 and 435 every person who refuses to give his own name or the name of any person in his employ, or who in any manner obstructs the Assessor or any of his deputies in the collection of the State Poll Tax, is guilty of a misdemeanor, and liable to a fine of $500 or imprisonment in the County Jail, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Only those persons under twenty-one or over sixty years are exempt. Poll Tax must be paid on demand.

HENRY P. DALTON, Assessor of Alameda County.

OFFICE OF THE Assessor of Alameda County.

NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS.

OAKLAND, March 4, 1895.

ALL PERSONS, FIRMS, COMPANIES, corporations and associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's office at the Court house, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, immediately, a statement under oath of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian on the FIRST MONDAY OF MARCH, 1895, in accordance with the New Constitution.

Refusal or neglect to make a sworn statement of all the property owned or held in trust will subject the person so refusing or neglecting to make such sworn statements to the full penalty of the law—one hundred dollars fine and guilty of misdemeanor.

All persons owning real estate that has heretofore been assessed in the wrong name on the Real Estate Assessment Book, or who have purchased real estate within the last year, are requested to appear, with their deeds, at the Assessor's office and have the proper changes made for the year 1895. Immediate attention is necessary, as work on the book has already been commenced.

Proper blanks may be obtained at the Assessor's office.

HENRY P. DALTON, Assessor of Alameda County.

Children Advertised by the Ladies Relief Society of Oakland, July, 1895.

Jackson H. Rafael, m., aged 9 years; T. Blanche Rafael, f., aged 7 years; Rose M. Rafael, f., aged 4 years; William A. Rafael, m., aged 2 years; Marion Truesdale, f., aged 3 years; Frank Truesdale, m., aged 2 years; Henry Truesdale, m., aged 6 months; Margaret Solomon, f., aged 10 years.

JESSIE CAMPBELL, Cor. Sec. L. R. S. of O.
Oakland, July 1st, 1895.

Children at the Orphanage Josephinum, Mission San Jose Alameda County, Cal.

Half Orphans—Amalie Larsen, f., age 10 years; Sallie Larsen, f., age 7 years; Mary Mohr, f., age 13 years; Ida Mohr, f., age 10 years; Mary Manning, f., age 4 years; Thomas McCartney, m., age 4 years; Annie Nicklaus, f., age 11 years; Teresa Nicklaus, f., age 10 years; Frances Nicklaus, f., age 9 years.

DIVIDEND NOTICES.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

THE OAKLAND BANK OF SAVINGS, Oakland, Cal.—For the six months ending June 30, 1895, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and one-half (4½) per cent per annum, on all savings deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Monday, July 1, 1895. Dividends not called for are added to and bear the same rate of dividend as the principal from July 1, 1895.

W. W. GARTHWAITE, Cashier.

FARMERS' & MERCHANTS' SAVINGS Bank, of Oakland, Cal.—Dividend Notice—For the six months ending June 30, 1895, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and one-half (4½) per cent per annum, on all savings deposits, payable on and after Monday, July 1st, 1895. Dividends not called for are added to the principal and bear a like rate of interest. JAMES C. McKEE, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

THE UNION SAVINGS BANK, Oakland, Cal.—A dividend has been declared to depositors for the six months ending June 30, 1895, at the rate of four and one-half (4½) per cent per annum on all SAVINGS ACCOUNTS payable on and after July 1st, 1895.

A. E. H. CRAMER, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

The Home Security Building and Loan Association of Alameda county, 466 Ninth street. A semi-annual dividend for the term ending June 30, 1895, has been declared at the rate of 5½ per cent per annum, on deposits on stock, payable on and after July 15th, 1895. By order of the Board of Directors.

J. GREENHOOD, President.
Charles K. Clark, Secretary.

SUMMONS.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

HENRY W. BLANCHARD, Plaintiff, vs. IDA J. BLANCHARD, Defendant.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, and the complaint filed in said County of Alameda, in the office of said Clerk of said Superior Court.

The People of the State of California send greeting to Ida J. Blanchard, defendant.

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff in the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, and to answer the complaint filed therein within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after service on you of this summons, if served within this county, otherwise within thirty days.

The said action is brought to obtain a decree of this Court dissolving the bonds of matrimony now and heretofore existing between said plaintiff and defendant, upon the ground of the extreme cruelty of the defendant toward the plaintiff, special reference being made to the complaint on file herein for further particulars.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint as above required, said plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint. Plaintiff prays for general relief.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, this 4th day of June, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

[SEAL.] FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk. By J. CAL. EWING, Deputy Clerk.
M. C. CHAPMAN, Attorney for Plaintiff, 967 Broadway, Oakland.

ABSINTHE DRINKERS.

A Fatal Habit Established Among the Bibulous Parisians.

ALGERIA STARTED THE FAD.

Beer Is Too Expensive for Poor People to Purchase.

WINE IS SOLD FOR A SONG.

Chat of the Boulevardiers of the City on the Seine.

Special Correspondence of The Tribune.

PARIS, June 22.—The Kiel rejoicings ought to please everyone—even Bismarck, who has again retired, Achilles-like, under his tent. Evidently there is no doing with Germany's G. O. M. Kiel has forced the fact that an orthodox working alliance, for better or for worse, does exist between Russia and France. Perhaps the publication of the bans of the secret marriage became necessary to allay the national discontent at the French fleet being sent to Kiel.

There was a time when such glad tidings of great joy would have provoked flag decorations and illuminations; but these manifestations have not been indulged in. Is there a rift in the lute? Alsace is heart-sorrowed at French sailors going to Kiel; even sailing abreast with the Russian ships, into the harbor to do "loch" with the conqueror of 1870. But Alsatians ought to remember they have now a big brother on their side. What will or can he do for them?

The triple allies must be delighted to see publicly admitted their vis-a-vis coalition. England is unpledged; however, it may be concluded she knows on which side her bread is buttered. But, what is apparently overlooked, England has the moral support of the United States, the only power that could seriously embarrass her, on account of her policy in Armenia and declining to manacle the expansion of Japan. Until the lights are shed in the banquet halls of Kiel and the honeymoon of the formal declaration of the alliance between France and Russia over, diplomacy will not actively enter into the scene. France and Russia are today where they were yesterday, save that they have given England the excuse, the opportunity to join the triple alliance when the occasion comes. Even united France and Russia cannot command the diplomatic sun to stand still—if they be in a hurry the consequences will be disastrous.

Until the price of Russia's help to China be known the far east question must remain in statu quo. Invading a country by railways may prove as inconvenient as over-running it with troops. A railway may turn out to be a fin de siecle name for a coaling station. A coalition was formed to restrain Japan from occupying Port Arthur, and another coalition can be formed to prevent Russia effecting for herself what she refused to Japan.

CARNOT'S ANNIVERSARY.

It is already a twelvemonth since M. Carnot was assassinated. He gave his last official dinner at the Elysee on the 20th June, 1894, and really never was happier; in his chronicly grave smile there was less gravity. At the moment he was welcoming his guests the assassin that was to take his life four days later was bargaining the price of the fatal dagger.

The Republic will keep the anniversary of Carnot's death a red-letter day in its calendar by a political ceremony in the Pantheon, where the remains repose, and an in memoriam mass at the Madeline for those who wish to join in the prayers. Such events ought to be kept green in the souls of nations. It is denied—but that may be true later on, since the young people are "deeply attached to each other," that M. Carnot's second son, a captain, is to be married to the wealthy Jewess, Mdlle. Lazard, whose father is a banker and merchant. Thus would be illustrated the late President's solution for the Israelitish question in France, marriages between Christians and Jews.

A TEMPERANCE MOVE.

Deputy Reinach has brought in his local veto bill. It may be said at once that it has no chance of ever becoming law. The small temperance party support it, but they are not either an organized or a powerful body, such as exists in England and America. Again as a rule the French are a very sober people, though not as much so as they were before 1870-71.

The working classes save their money and do not squander it in drink; and the wives, when they have the upper hand, and the social solution of France largely depends upon petticoat government, will never allow the wages earned to leak away in "beverages." After all the working classes do not drink to become sponges, but they pass too much of their time in the wine shops, and will make a glass of something do duty for a whole evening. In the daytime the workmen have "halts" besides meal hours, during which they run for 20 minutes to the nearest pub and five or six club to have a bottle of wine, which means two sous each. But during hours of labor they never touch brandy or absinthe, and beer is too dear.

The Reinach bill would strike at national modes of life. There are two classes of beverage centers, the cafe and the eating house or restaurant, from its initial form the gargote, where food in every abominable form is to be obtained, and in comparison with which the cats' meat of London is a dainty dish. In the cafe the clients, no matter how humble, enter and are attentively served. Naturally the workers prefer cafes suited to their condition. Several of these are fitted up with six or twelve billiard tables, and have cards, backgammon, chess, draughts, dominoe, etc. Rarely newspapers are provided, but every person has his 1 sou paper, the journal of his choice and he never reads a second. Now the most infallible test of trade, etc., being brisk is when the billi and tables are well patronized, when their green cloth remains under the hall and the workers are doing short commons, which implies frugality, not drinking.

It is with the traiteur, and humble, but higher class of eating house, that most of the drink mischief is done. There the worker, if unmarried, invariably takes his meals, and is certain to have a running account with the house that will give him credit when out of work. He drinks naturally and more so when in sorrow; it is then he seeks consolation in that "fairy with the green eyes"—absinthe. It is a most seductive drink, but once it captures, the siren never lets go her victims. It is also unfortunately very cheap and infamously adulterated. Nearly all classes drink absinthe now. Thirty years ago it was taken on the sly, en cachette, just as one peruses a naughty novel. It is a fatal present made by Algeria to Continetal France, as absinthe was the sole "pick-me-up" the officers found to be an antidote against the deliquescent character of the colonial climate. There is a wide field for humane intervention by preventing the adulteration of drinks, which in the aggregate are all poisonous compounds. It is authoritatively demonstrated that the cognac sold to the rag picker and the "nip" supplied at twelve times the price are the same.

The alcohol is adulterated, and that is the base of all the drinks in the country. Hence the importance of the project now under discussion, the monopolizing by the State of the distilleries, like the manufacture of tobacco stamps, etc., and produce a uniform and pure type of convertible brandy at a cheaper price, while quadrupling the duty, etc. By this means the public health would be saved and an immediate augmentation of 800,000,000 francs annually secured for the revenue.

Every seller of drink has his laboratory, or blending cellar, where chemical miracles are performed. The workman's taste demands a beverage that will titillate his palate and rasp his throat. When the insurgents in the 1848 Revolution invaded the Tuileries, they broke into Louis Philippe's wine cellar, reputed to have the greatest collection of delicate brands in France. His Majesty kept the key himself, and the greatest compliment he could pay a guest at the royal table was to personally go to the cellar and bring up a well cobwebbed bottle. He was homely, so was the Queen, who darned her son's stockings

And what did the insurgents with the delicate wines? Pronounce them to be atrocious; knocked in the heads of the casks, smashed the bottles and commanded "genuine wines" from the neighboring rum holes The Ministry aims to abolish all duties on beer, cider, wine and "food" beverages making their cost so cheap as to render adulterating unremunerative.

To limit the number of dram shops is impossible, there are no licenses required for the sale of liquors; trades are taxed according to the volume and importance of their business and rent—the articles sold are not considered. Hence, why the coalman sells wine—and not the worst beer or hogwash liquors, whose composition may only be known at the Day of Judgment, newspapers, vegetables and poultry.

THE SEASON LINGERS.

Paris is not thinning, as was hitherto her wont, after the Grand Prix; even fashionables have become more commonsenable. It is only at the close of next month that the real exodus will commence by the breaking up of the schools. No showy seaside resorts are in favor; some declare them to be simply cosmopolitan centers of disease spores, so retired or out of the way localities or nooks are selected.

The truth, however, is that people have not the means to indulge in splashes and dashes. By the reduction of 1 per cent in the interest in stocks thousands have had their incomes reduced 20 per cent—and that is no joking matter for families daily engaged in the problem of how to make both ends meet. And it is here the best elements in the French character show. The French, as a rule, do not live to keep up appearances. They will tell you they have to practice economy and they will do so; at the cafe they will put two, instead of three, of the uniform four lumps of sugar in their cup of coffee, and the other two in their pocket; they will reduce the tip to the waiter—a noble resolution—50 per cent by giving one sou instead of two; they will club to subscribe for a daily paper where formerly they ventured on a sheet for themselves; they now find omnibuses superior to cabs, and one bottle of wine must do duty for two days. The principle of thus taking in sail is admirable, only it is not applied to the taxation of our country.

Where it can be accomplished, families or relatives will renounce housekeeping and meal with some member who will organize for them a private table d'hote; hence fewer servants and saving of market pennies. Does this evolution explain why the Prime Minister has abandoned his project for taxing domestics? The shop keepers who had their villa summer home in the suburbs either sell it, if they can, close it, if they must, or let some of the rooms. They come to town in the cheaper tram-car, and try a lower grade railway compartment. Their greater importance and veneration are attached to old clothes. Even in sport ambition is moderated, the citizen will angle in the Seine, which costs nothing, and where he catches about as much, instead of having his license and three days out in September to blaze away at partridges over a district where the poachers have saved him all anxiety about the birds.

A part-perspective view of the entrance facade of the 1900 exhibition has been published for the use of the general commission, to work the money side of the question. There is not a particle of enthusiasm over the birds-eye view; indeed, the French at the present moment have no gush for anything; not even for the Russian alliance. In exhibition architecture originality has been played out. Vastness is made to mark the absence of beauty. Parisians are not able to grasp the promised advantages, making a great hole for the new cross avenue on the site of the Palace of Industry. Some Anglo-Americans are, however, satisfied, as they applied for a site for a monster hotel.

Galindo Hotel Bar.

Graduated mixologist manipulating cool mixed drinks for summer, such as soft toddies, whiskies, punches, whisky daisies, sherry flips, gin fizzes, Manhattan cocktails, French drinks. Beer on tap. Billiard and pool tables. JOSEPH A. BOUQUET, 411 Eighth street.

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Deposits, Jan. 1, 1895, - 4,808,528 40

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Deposits Dec. 31, 1894, 3,011,355 84

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PROPOSALS FOR SUPPLIES.

—FOR THE—
COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

REQUIRED BY THE VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS OF THE COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Board of Supervisors of Alameda county at the board rooms in the annex to the Hall of Records in the city of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, until 12 o'clock M., on Monday, July 15, 1895, (at which time and place they will be opened in the presence of the bidders) for furnishing and delivering at such times and in such places and in such quantities as may be required, supplies for the Alameda County Infirmary, the various departments of the County Government, Hall of Records, at the County Jail and Receiving Hospital of the County of Alameda, consisting of fish, drugs and medicines, stationery, etc., and other staple supplies, from date of contract to June 30th, 1896, inclusive, as per specifications and provisions of schedules to be furnished by the Clerk of this Board, adopted by this Board this day, and according to the conditions and requirements of such schedules contained. The County of Alameda, through the Board of Supervisors, reserves the right to use in the several departments of the County Government greater or less quantities than enumerated in the proposals and schedules should the public interests so require, and to accept the lowest bid on each article of each class.

The Board of Supervisors also in considering said bids reserves the right to accept or reject all or any of them or accept a part of any bid or proposal presented. Samples of all staple articles are to be presented for examination by the Board of Supervisors at the board room, the same to be properly marked with name of bidder and schedule number.

All supplies and materials furnished to be subject to the approval of the department ordering the same and to the satisfaction of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda county. No bid will be considered unless made upon said schedules nor unless accompanied by certified check payable to the order of Frank C. Jordan, clerk of the Board of Supervisors, certified to by some responsible bank for an amount which shall not be less than 10 per cent of the aggregate amount of the proposal or proposals which accompanies. Said check to be forfeited to the County of Alameda, as agreed and liquidated damages, should the party or parties to whom the contract shall be awarded fail to enter into the contract within ten (10) days after the award, or fail to give a bond required by the Board for the faithful performance of the contract. Payment for all supplies will be made in the manner prescribed by the Legislature of the State of California. All bids must be inclosed in sealed envelopes, addressed to the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, and be indorsed on the envelopes furnished by the Clerk, "Proposals for furnishing supplies for the County of Alameda required by the various departments of the County Government," giving the general name and number as on the schedules or as otherwise provided in schedules.

Dated, July 1, 1895.

HIRAM BAILEY,
Chairman Board of Supervisors Alameda County, California.
(Seal) Frank C. Jordan, Clerk.

County Board of Equalization.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS OF ALAMEDA COUNTY.

Office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, California.

Public notice is hereby given that the assessment rolls of the fiscal year 1895 of Alameda county, California, have been completed and delivered to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of said county and that the same will be open for inspection at the said Clerk's office in the annex to the Hall of Records in the City of Oakland, from 9 o'clock A. M. to 5 o'clock P. M. every day except Sunday.

Notice is also given that the Board of Supervisors of said county sat as a County Board of Equalization on Monday, July 1st, 1895, and adjourned until Saturday, July 6th, 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day from and after which time they will continue in session from time to time until the business of equalization is disposed of and said Board will not sit later than Monday, July 15th, 1895.

Application for reduction or correction of assessment must be made in writing duly verified by the oath of the property owner or a duly authorized agent. Blanks for application for reduction or increase of assessment may be obtained at said Clerk's office.

By order of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda county, California.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
Dated, Oakland, July 1st, 1895.

PROBATE NOTICE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Mary Newland, deceased.

Notice of the time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Mary Newland, deceased, and for the issuance to Martha Newland, of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this court, and that Monday, the 22d day of July, A. D. 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the court room of Department No. 1, of said court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in the County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, July 6th, 1895.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. ADAMS, Deputy Clerk.
Dodge & Fry, attorneys for petitioner, 906 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

PROBATE NOTICE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of William R. Barron, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of William R. Barron, deceased, and for the issuance to Mary F. Barron of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this court, and that Monday, the 1st day of July, A. D. 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the courtroom of department No. 1, of said court, at the Court house in the City of Oakland, in the County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, June 15th, 1895.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. ADAMS, Deputy Clerk.

Alameda County Land Company.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Alameda County Land Company, of Oakland, California, will be held at 1101 Broadway street, in the City of Oakland, State of California, on Wednesday, the 24th day of July, 1895, at 4 o'clock P. M.

W. H. HIGH, JR., Secretary.

IF YOU WISH

To enjoy the day properly you must order your Sunday dinner from

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New City Market

S. E. Cor. 12th and Washington Sts.

TELEPHONE 351.

LEGAL.

OFFICE OF THE Assessor of Alameda County.

POLL TAX NOTICE.

OAKLAND, March 4, 1895.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the State Poll Tax of two dollars for the year 1895, is now due and payable at my office, room 1, Courthouse, or to a Deputy Assessor.

Sec. 3829 of the Political Code reads as follows:

Every male inhabitant of the State over twenty-one and under sixty years of age, except paupers, insane persons and Indians, not taxed, must annually pay a Poll Tax of two dollars, provided the same be paid between the first Monday in March and the first Monday in July, then it shall be three dollars.

Sec. 3846 of the Political Code makes it the duty of the Assessor to "demand Poll Tax of every person liable therefor, and on the neglect or refusal of such persons to pay, he must collect by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person."

Under sections 429 and 435 every person who refuses to give his own name or the name of any person in his employ, or who in any manner obstructs the Assessor or any of his deputies in the collection of the State Poll Tax, is guilty of a misdemeanor, and liable to a fine of $500 or imprisonment in the County Jail, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Only those persons under twenty-one or over sixty years are exempt. Poll Tax must be paid on demand.

HENRY P. DALTON,
Assessor of Alameda County.

OFFICE OF THE Assessor of Alameda County.

NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS.

OAKLAND, March 4, 1895.

ALL PERSONS, FIRMS, COMPANIES, corporations and associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's office at the Court house, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, immediately, a statement under oath of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian on the FIRST MONDAY OF MARCH, 1895, in accordance with the New Constitution.

Refusal or neglect to make a sworn statement of all the property owned or held in trust will subject the person so refusing or neglecting to make such sworn statements to the full penalty of the law—one hundred dollars fine and guilty of midemeanor.

All persons owning real estate that has heretofore been assessed in the wrong name on the Real Estate Assessment Book, or who have purchased real estate within the last year, are requested to appear, with their deeds, at the Assessor's office, and have the proper changes made for the year 1895. Immediate attention is necessary, as work on the book has already been commenced.

Proper blanks may be obtained at the Assessor's office.

HENRY P. DALTON,
Assessor of Alameda County.

Children Advertised by the Ladies Relief Society of Oakland, July, 1895.

Jackson H. Rafael, m., aged 9 years; T. Blanche Rafael, f., aged 7 years; Rose M. Rafael, f., aged 4 years; William A. Rafael, m., aged 2 years; Marion Truesdale, f., aged 3 years; Frank Truesdale, m., aged 2 years; Henry Truesdale, m., aged 6 months; Margaret Solomon, f., aged 10 years.

JESSIE CAMPBELL,
Cor. Sec. L. R. S. of O.
Oakland, July 1st, 1895.

Children at the Orphanage Josephinum, Mission San Jose Alameda County, Cal.

Half Orphans—Amalie Larsen, f., age 10 years; Sallie Larsen, f., age 7 years; Mary Mohr, f., age 13 years; Ida Mohr, f., age 10 years; Mary Manning, f., age 4 years; Thomas McCartney, m., age 4 years; Annie Nicklaus, f., age 11 years; Teresa Nicklaus, f., age 10 years; Frances Nicklaus, f., age 9 years.

DIVIDEND NOTICES.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

THE OAKLAND BANK OF SAVINGS, Oakland, Cal.—For the six months ending June 30, 1895, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and one-half (4½) per cent per annum, on all savings deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Monday, July 1, 1895. Dividends not called for are added to and bear the same rate of dividend as the principal from July 1, 1895.

W. W. GARTHWAITE, Cashier.

FARMERS' & MERCHANTS' SAVINGS Bank, of Oakland, Cal.—Dividend Notice—For the six months ending June 30, 1895, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and one-half (4½) per cent per annum, on all savings deposits, payable on and after Monday, July 1st, 1895. Dividends not called for are added to the principal and bear a like rate of interest. JAMES C. McKEE, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

THE UNION SAVINGS BANK, Oakland, Cal.—A dividend has been declared to depositors for the six months ending June 30, 1895, at the rate of four and one-half (4½) per cent per annum on all SAVINGS ACCOUNTS payable on and after July 1st, 1895.

A. E. H. CRAMER, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

The Home Security Building and Loan Association of Alameda county, 466 Ninth street. A semi-annual dividend for the term ending June 30, 1895, has been declared at the rate of 5½ per cent per annum, on deposits on stock, payable on and after July 15th, 1895. By order of the Board of Directors.

J. GREENHOOD, President.
Charles K. Clark, Secretary.

SUMMONS.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

HENRY W. BLANCHARD, Plaintiff,
vs.
IDA J. BLANCHARD, Defendant.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, and the complaint filed in said County of Alameda, in the office of said Clerk of said Superior Court.

The People of the State of California send greeting to Ida J. Blanchard, defendant.

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff in the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, and to answer the complaint filed therein within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after service on you of this summons, if served within this county, otherwise within thirty days.

The said action is brought to obtain a decree of this Court dissolving the bonds of matrimony now and heretofore existing between said plaintiff and defendant, upon the ground of the extreme cruelty of the defendant toward the plaintiff, special reference being made to the complaint on file herein, for further particulars.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint as above required, said plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint. Plaintiff prays for general relief.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, this 4th day of June, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

[SEAL.] FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By J. CAL. EWING, Deputy Clerk.
R. C. CHAPMAN, Attorney for Plaintiff, 467 Broadway, Oakland.

The Roll-Call of the Reef

BY "Q."

"Yes, sir," said my host, the quarryman, reaching down the relics from their hook in the wall over the chimney piece; "they've hung here all my time, and most of my father's. The women won't touch 'em; thy're afraid of the story. So here they'll dangle, and gather dust and smoke, till another tenant comes and tosses 'em out o' doors for rubbish. Whew! 'tis coarse weather, surely."

He went to the door, opened it and stood studying the gale that beat upon his cottage front, straight from the Manacle Reef. The rain drove past him into the kitchen, aslant like threads of gold silk in the shine of the wreck-wood fire. Meanwhile, by the same firelight I examined the relics on my knee. The metal of each was tarnished out of knowledge. But the trumpet was evidently an old cavalry trumpet and the threads of its parti-colored sling, though frayed and dusty, still hung together. Around the side-drum, beneath its cracked brown varnish, I could hardly trace a royal coat-of-arms and a legend running, Per Mare Per Terram—the motto of the Marines. Its parchment, though black and scented with wood smoke, was limp and mildewed, and I began to tighten up the straps—under which the drumsticks had been loosely thrust—with the idle purpose of trying if some music might be got out of the old drum yet.

But as I turned it on my knee I found the drum attached to the trumpet sling by a curious barrel-shaped padlock, and paused to examine this. The body of the lock was composed of half a dozen brass rings, set accurately edge to edge; and, rubbing the brass with my thumb, I saw that each of the six had a series of letters engraved around it.

I knew the trick of it I thought. Here was one of those word padlocks once so common, only to be opened by getting the rings to spell a certain word, which the dealer confides to you.

My host shut and barred the door and came back to the hearth.

"'Twas just such a wind—east by south—that brought in what you've got between your hands. Back in the year 'nine, it was; my father has told me the tale a score o' times. You're twisting round the rings, I see. But you'll never guess the word. Parson Kendall, he made the word, and locked down a couple o' ghosts in their graves with it, and when his time came, he went to his own grave and took the word with him."

"Whose ghosts, Matthew?"

"You want the story, I see, sir. My father could tell it better than I can. He was a young man in the year 'nine, unmarried at the time, and living in this very cottage, just as I be. That's how he came to get mixed up with the tale."

He took a chair, lit a short pipe and went on, with his eyes fixed on the dancing violet flames.

"Yes, he'd ha' been about thirty year old in Jaunray, eighteen 'nine. The storm got up in the night o' the twenty-first o' that month. My father was dressed and out long before daylight; he never was one to bide in bed, let be that the gale by this time was pretty near lifting the thatch over his head. Besides which, he'd fenced a small 'taty patch that winter, down by Lowland Point, and he wanted to see if it stood the night's work. He took the path across Gunner's Meadow—where they buried most of the bodies afterwards. The wind was right in his teeth at the time, and once on the way (he's told me this often) a great strip o' ore weed came flying through the darkness and fetched him a slap on the cheek like a cold hand. But he made shift pretty well till he got to Lowland, and then had to drop upon hands and knees and crawl, digging his fingers every now and then into the shingle to hold on, for he declared to me that the stones, some of them as big as a man's head, kept rolling and driving past till it seemed the whole foreshore was moving westward under him. The fence was gone, of course; not a stick left to show where it stood; so that, when first he came to the place, he thought he must have missed his bearings. My father, sir, was a very religious man; and if he reckoned the end of the world was at hand—there in the great wind and night, among the moving stones—you may believe he was certain of it when he heard a gun fired, and, with the same, saw a flame shoot up out of the darkness to windward, making a sudden fierce light in all the place about. All he could find to think or say was, 'The Second Coming—'The Second Coming! The Bridegroom cometh, and the wicked He will toss like a ball into a large country!' and being already upon his knees, he just bowed his head and 'bided, saying this over and over.

"But by'm-by, between two squalls, he made bold to lift his head and look, and then the light—a bluish colour 'twas—he saw all the coast clear away to Manacle Point, and off the Manacles in the thick of the weather, a sloop-of-war with topgallants housed, driving stern foremost towards the reef. It was she, of course, that was burning the flare. My father could see the white streak and the ports of her quite plain as she rose to it, a little outside the breakers, and he guessed easy enough that her captain had just managed to wear ship, and was trying to force her nose to the sea with the help of her small bower anchor and the scrap or two of canvas that hadn't yet been blown out of her. But while he looked she fell off, giving her broadside to it foot by foot, and drifting back on the breakers around Carn du and the Varses. The rocks lie so thick thereabouts that 'twas a toss up which she struck first; at any rate, my father couldn't tell at the time, for just then the flare died down and went out.

"Well, sir, he turned then in the dark and started back for Coverack to cry the dismal tidings—though well knowing ship and crew to be past and hope; and as he turned the wind lifted him and tossed him forward 'like a ball,' as he'd been saying, and homeward along the foreshore. As you know, 'tis ugly work, even by daylight, picking your way among the stones there, and my father was prettily knocked about at first in the dark. But by this 'twas nearer seven than six o'clock, and the day spreading. By the time he reached North Corner a man could see to read print, howsever he looked neither out to sea nor towards Coverack, but headed straight for the first cottage—the same that stands above North Corner today. A man named Billy Ede lived there then, and when my father burst into the kitchen bawling, 'Wreck! wreck!' he saw Billy Ede's wife, Ann, stading there in her clogs, with a shawl over her head, and her clothes wringing wet.

"'Save the chap!' says Billy Ede's wife, Ann. 'What d'ee mean by crying stale fish at that rate?'

"'But 'tis a wreck, I tell 'ee. I've a-zeed 'n!'

"'Why, so 'tis,' says she 'and I've a-zeed 'n, too; and so has every one with an eye in his head.'

"And with that she pointed straight over my father's shoulder, and he turned; and there, close under Dolor Point, at the end of Coverack town, he saw another wreck washing, and the point black with people, like emmets, running to and fro in the morning light. While he stood staring at her, he heard a trumpet sounded on board, the notes coming in little jerks, like a bird rising against the wind; but faintly, of course, because of the distance and the gale blowing—though this had dropped a little.

"'She's a transport,' said Billy Ede's wife, Ann, 'and full of horse soldiers, fine long men. When she struck they must ha' pitched the hosses over first to lighten the ship, for a score of dead hosses had washed in afore I left, half an hour back. An' three or four soldiers, too—fine long corpses in white breeches and jackets of blue and gold. I held a lantern to one. Such a straight young man.'

"My father asked her about the trumpeting.

"'That's the queerest bit of all. She was burnin' a light when me an' my man joined the crowd down there. All her masts had gone, whether they carried away, or were cut away to ease her, I don't know. Anyway, there she lay 'pon the rocks with her decks bare. Her keelson was broke under her and her bottom sagged and stove, and she had just settled down like a sitting hen—just the leastest list to starboard; but a man could stand there easy. They had rigged up ropes across her, from bulwark to bulwark, an' beside these the men were mustered, holding on like grim death whenever the sea made a clean breach over them, an' standing up like heroes as soon as it passed. The captain an' the officers were clinging to the rail of the quarter deck, all in their golden uniforms, waiting for the end as if 'twas King George they expected. There was no way to help, for she lay right beyond cast of line, though our folk tried it fifty times. And beside them clung a trumpeter, a whacking big man, an' between the heavy seas he would lift his trumpet with one hand, and blow a call; and every time he blew the men gave a cheer. There (she says)—hark 'ee now—there he goes agen! But you won't hear no cheering any more, for few are left to cheer, and their voices weak. Bitter cold the wind is, and I reckon it numbs their grip o' the ropes, for they were dropping off fast with every sea when my man sent me home to get his breakfast. Another wreck, you say? Well, there's no hope for the tender dears, if 'tis Manacles. You'd better run down and help yonder; though 'tis little help any man can give. Not one came in alive while I was there. The tide's flowing, an' she won't hold together another hour, they say.'

"Well, sure enough, the end was coming fast when my father got down to the point. Six men had been cast up alive, or just breathing—a seaman and five troopers. The seaman was the only one that had breath to speak; and while they were carrying him into the town, the word went round that the ship's name was the Despatch, transport, homeward bound from Corunna, with a detachment of the Seventh Hussars, that had been fighting out there with Sir John Moore. The seas had rolled her further over by this time, and given her decks a pretty sharp slope; but a dozen men still held on, seven by the ropes near the ship's waist, a couple near the break of the poop, and three on the quarter-deck. Of these three my father made out one to be the skipper; close to him clung an officer in full regimentals—his name, they heard after, was Captain Duncanfield; and last came the tall trumpeter; and if you'll believe me, the fellow was making shift there, at the very last, to blow 'God Save the King.' What's more, he got to 'Send us victorious,' before an extra big sea came bursting across and washed them off the deck—every man but one pair beneath the poop—and he dropped his hold before the next wave; being stunned, I reckon. The others went out of sight at once, but the trumpeter—being, as I said, a powerful man as well as a tough swimmer—rose rose like a duck, rode out a couple of breakers and came in on the crest of the third. The folks looked to see him broke like an egg at their feet; but when the smother cleared, there he was, lying face downward on a ledge below them; and one of the men that happened to have a rope round him—I forget the fellow's name, if ever I heard it—jumped down and grabbed him by the ankle as he began to slip back. Before the next big sea the pair were hauled high enough to be out of harm, and another heave brought them up to grass. Quick work, but master trumpeter wasn't quite dead; nothing worse than a cracked head and three staved ribs. In twenty minutes or so they had him in bed, with a doctor to tend him.

"Now was the time—nothing being left alive upon the transport—for my father to tell of the sloop he's seen driving upon the Manacles. And when he got a hearing, though the most were set upon salvage and believed a wreck in the hand, so to say, to be worth half a dozen, they couldn't see, a good few volunteered to start off with him and have a look. They crossed Lowland Point; no ship to be seen on the Manacles, nor anywhere upon the sea. One or two was for calling my father a liar. 'Wait till we come to Dean Point,' said he. Sure enough, on the far side of Dean Point they found the sloop's mainmast washing about with half a dozen men lashed to it, men in red jackets, every mother's son drowned and staring; and a little further on, just under the Dean, three or four bodies cast up on the shore, one of them a small drummer boy, side drum and all; and near by part of a ship's gig, with H. M. S. Primrose cut on the stern board. From this point on the shore was littered thick with wreckage and dead bodies—the most of them marines in uniform; and in Godrevy Cove, in particular, a heap of furniture from the captain's cabin, and amongst it a water-tight box not much damaged and full of papers, by which, when it came to be examined next day, the wreck was easily made out to be the Primrose, of eighteen guns, outward bound from Portsmouth, with a fleet of transports for the Spanish war, thirty sail, I've heard, but I've never heard what became of them. Being handled by merchant skippers, no doubt they rode out the gale, and reached the Tagus safe and sound. Not but what the captain of the Primrose (Mein was his name) did quite right to try and club-haul his vessel when he found himself under the land; only he never ought to have got there, if he took proper soundings. But it's easy talking.

"The Primrose, sir, was a handsome vessel for her size, one of the handsomest in the King's service and newly fitted out at Plymouth dock. So the boys had brave pickings from her in the way of brass work, ship's instruments and the like, let alone some barrels of stores not much spoiled. They loaded themselves with as much as they could carry and started for home, meaning to make a second journey before the preventive men got wind of their doing and came to spoil the fun. But as my father was passing back under the Dean he happened to take a look over his shoulder at the bodies there. 'Hullo' says he, and cropped his gear, 'I do believe there's a leg moving?' and running fore, he stooped over the small drummer boy that I told you about. The poor little chap was lying there, with his face a mass of bruises and his eyes closed; but he had shifted one leg an inch or two and was still breathing. So my father pulled out a knife and cut him free from his drum—that was lashed on him with a double turn of Manilla rope—and took him up and carried him along here to this very room that we're sitting in. He lost a good deal by this; for when he went back to fetch the bundle he'd dropped, the preventive men had got hold of it, and were thick as thieves along the foreshore; so that 'twas only by paying one or two to look the other way that he picked up anything worth carrying off; which you'll allow to be hard, seeing that he was the first man to give news of the wreck.

"Well, the inquiry was held, of course, and my father gave evidence, and for the rest they had to trust to the sloop's papers, for not a soul was saved besides the drummer boy, and he was raving in a fever, brought on by the cold and fright. And the seaman and the five troopers gave evidence about the loss of the Despatch. The tall trumpeter, too, whose ribs were healing, came forward and kissed the book; but somehow his head had been hurt in coming ashore, and he talked foolish like, and 'twas easy seen he would never be a proper man again. The others were taken up to Plymouth, and so went their ways; but the trumpeter stayed on in Coverack; and King George, finding he was fit for nothing, sent him down a trifle of a pension after a while—enough to keep him in board and lodging, with a bit of tobacco over.

"Now the first time that this man—William Tallifer he called himself—met with the drummer boy was about a fortnight after the little chap had bettered enough to be allowed a short walk out of doors, which he took, if you please, in full regimentals. The lad was a soldier so proud of his dress. His own suit had shrunk a brave bit with the salt water; but into ordinary frock an' corduroys he declared he would not get, not if he had to go naked the rest of his life; so my father—being a good-natured man, and handy with the needle—turned to and repaired damages with a piece or two of scarlet cloth cut from the jacket of one of the drowned marines. Well, the poor little chap chanced to be standing, in this rig out, down by the gate of Gunner's Meadow, where they had buried two score and over of his comrades. The morning was a fine one, early in March month; and along came the cracked trumpeter, likewise taking a stroll.

"'Hullo!' says he; 'good morn'n'! And what might you be doin here?'

"'I was a-wishin',' says the boy, 'I had a pair o' drumsticks. Our lads were buried yonder without so much as drum tapped or a musket fired; and that's not Christian burial for British soldiers.'

"'Phut!' says the trumpeter, and spat on the ground; 'a parcel of marines!'

"The boy eyed him a second or so, and answered up. 'If I'd a tag of turf handy, I'd bung it at your mouth, you greasy cavalryman and learn you to speak respectful of your betters. The marines are the handiest body o' men in the service.'

"The trumpeter looked down on him from the height of six foot two, and asked: 'Did they die well?'

"'They died very well. There was a lot of running to and fro at first, and some of the men began to cry, and a few to strip off their clothes. But when the ship fell off for the last time Capt. Mein turned and said some thing to Major Griffiths, the commanding officer on board, and the major called out to me to beat to quarters. It might have been for a wedding, he sang out so cheerful. We'd had word already that 'twas to be parade order; and the men fell in as trim and decent as if they were going to church. One of two even tried to shave at the last moment. The major wore his medals. One o' the seamen, seing I had work to keep the drum steady—the sling being a bit loose for me, and the wind what you remember—lashed it tight with a piece of rope; and that saved my life afterwards, a drum being as good as a cork until it's stove. I kept beating away until every man was on deck; and then the major formed them up and told them to die like British soldiers, and the chaplain read a prayer or two—the boys stadin' all the while like rocks, each man's courage keeping up the other's. The chaplain was in the middle of a prayer when she struck. In ten minutes she was gone. That was how they died, cavalryman.'

"'And that was very well done, drummer of the marines. What's your name?'

"'John Christian.'

"'Mine's William George Tallifer, trumpeter of the Seventh light dragoons—the Queen's Own. I played "God Save the King" while our men were drowning. Captain Duncanfield told me to sound a call or two, to out them in heart; but that matter of "God Save the King" was a notion of my own. I won't say anything to hurt the feelings of a marine, even if he's not much over five foot tall; but the Queen's Own Hussars is a tearin' fine regiment. As between horse and foot, 'tis a question o' which gets the chance. All the way from Sahagun to Corunna 'twas we that took and gave the knocks—at Mayorga and Rueda, and Bennyventy.' (The reason, sir, I can speak the names so pat, is that my father learnt 'em by heart afterwards from the trumpeter, who was always talking about Mayorga and Rueda and Bennyventy.) "We made the rear guard, under General Paget; and drove the French every time; and all the infantry did was to sit about an' play the tom-fool in general. And when it came to a stand up fight at Corunna, 'twas we that had to stay sea-sick aboard the transports an' watch the infantry in the thick of the caper. Very well they behaved, too; 'specially the 4th regiment, an' the 42nd Highlanders, an' the Dirty Harif Hundred. Oh, ay! they're decent regiments all three. But the Queen's Own Hussars is a tearin' fine regiment. So you played on your drum when the ship was goin' down? Drummer John Christian, I'll have to get you a new pair o' drum sticks for that.'

"Well, sir, it appears that the very next day the trumpeter marched into Helston and got a carpenter there to turn him a pair of box wood drumsticks for the boy. And this was the beginning of one of the most curious friendships you ever heard tell of. Nothing delighted the pair more than to borrow a boat off my father and row out to the rocks where the Primrose and the Despatch had struck and sunk; and on still days 'twas pretty to hear them out there off the Manacles, the drummer playing his tattoo — for they always took their music with them—and the trumpeter practicing calls and making his trumpet speak like an angel. But if the weather turned roughish they'd be walking together and talking; leastwise the youngster listened while the other discoursed about Sir John's campaign in Spain and Portugal, telling how each little skirmish befell; and of Sir John himself and General Baird and General Paget, and Colonel Vivian, his own commanding officer and what kind of men they were, and of the last bloody stand-up at Corunna, and so forth, as if neither of them could have enough.

"But all this had to come to an end in the late summer, for the boy, John Christian, being now well and strong again, must go to Plymouth to report himself. 'Twas his own wish, for I believe King George had forgotten all about him, but his friend wouldn't hold him back. As for the trumpeter, my father had made an arrangement to take him on as lodger as soon as the boy left, and on the morning fixed for the start he was up at the door here by 5 o'clock, with his trumpet slung by his side, and all the rest of his belongings in a small valise. A Monday morning it was, and after breakfast he had fixed to walk with the boy some way on the road toward Helston, where the coach started. My father left them at breakfast together and went out to meat the pig and do a few odd morning jobs of that sort. When he came back the boy was still at table, and the trumpeter standing here by the chimney place with the drum and trumpet in his hands, hitched together just as they be at this moment.

"'Look at this,' he says to my father, showing him the lock. I picked it up off a starving brassworker in Lisbon, and it is not one of your common locks that one word of six letters will open at any time. There's genius in this lock, for you've only to make the rings spell any six-letter word you please, and snap down the lock upon that, and never a soul can open it not the maker even—until somebody comes along that knows the word you snapped it on. Now, Johnny here's goin', and he leaves his drum behind him, for though he can make pretty music on it the parchment sags in wet weather by reason of the sea water getting at it, an' if he carries it to Plymouth they'll only condemn it and give him another. And as for me, I shan't have the heart to put lip to the trumpet any more when Johnny's gone. So we've chosen a word together and locked 'em together upon that, and by your leave I'll hang 'em here together on that hook over your fireplace. Maybe Johnny'll come back, maybe not. Maybe if he comes I'll be dead and gone an' he'll take 'em apart an' try their music for old sake's sake. But it he never comes nobody can separate 'em, for nobody beside knows the word. And if you marry and have sons you can tell 'em that here are tied together the souls of Johnny Christian, drummer of the marines, and William George Tallifer, once trumpeter of the Queen's Own Hussars. Amen.

"With that he hung the two instruments 'pon the hook there, and the boy stood up and thanked my father and shook hands, and the pair went forth of the door toward Helston.

"Somewhere on the road they took leave of one another, but nobody saw the parting nor heard what was said between them. About three in the afternoon the trumpeter came walking back over the hill, and by the time my father came home from the fishing the cottage was tidied up and the tea ready and the whole place shining like a new pin. From that time for five years he lodged here with my father, looking after the house and tilling the garden. And all the while he was steadily failing; the hurt in his head spreading in a manner to his limbs. My father watched the feebleness growing on him but said nothing. And from first to last neither spake a word about the drummer, John Christian; nor did any letter reach them, nor word of his doings.

"The rest of the tale you'm free to believe, sir, or not, as you please. It stands upon my father's word, and he always declared he was ready to kiss the Book upon it, before judge and jury. He said, too, that he never had the wit to make up such a yarn; and he defied any one to explain about the lock, in particular, by any other tale. But you shall judge for yourself.

"My father said that about 3 o'clock in the morning, April 14th, of the year 'fourteen, he and William Tallifer were sitting here, just as you and I, sir, are sitting now. My father had put on his clothes a few minutes before, and was mending his spiller by the light of the horn lantern, meaning to set off before daylight to haul the trammel. The trumpeter hadn't been to bed at all. Towards the last he mostly spent his nights (and his days, too) dozing in the elbow chair where you sit at this minute. He was dozin then (my father said) with his chin dropped forward on his chest, when a knock sounded upon the door, and the door opened, and in walked an upright young man in scarlet regimentals.

"He had grown a brave bit, and his face was the color of wood ashes; but it was the drummer, John Christian. Only his uniform was different from the one he used to wear, and the figures '38' shone in brass upon his collar.

"The drummer walked past my father as if he never saw him, and stood by the elbow chair and said:

"'Trumpeter, trumpeter, are you one with me?'

"And the trumpeter just lifted the lids of his eyes, and answered, 'How should I not be one with you, drummer Johnny—Johnny boy? If you come, I count; if you march, I mark time; until the discharge comes.'

"'The discharge has come tonight,' said the drummer; 'and the word is Corunna no longer.' And stepping to the chimney place he unhooked the drum and trumpet and began to twist the brass rings of the lock, spelling the word aloud, so—C-O-R-U-N-A. When he had fixed the last letter, the padlock opened in his hand.

"'Did you know, trumpeter, that when I came to Plymouth, they put me into a line regiment?'

"'The 38th is a good regiment,' answered the old Hussar, still in his dull voice; and 'I went back with them from Sahagun to Corunna. At Corunna they stood in General Fraser's division on the right. They behaved well.'

"'But I'm fain see the Marines again,' says the drummer, handing him the trumpet; 'and you, you shall call once more for the Queen's Own. Matthew,' he says, suddenly, turning on my father—and when he turned, my father saw for the first time that his scarlet jacket had a round hole by the breast bone, and that the blood was welling there—'Matthew, we shall want your boat.'

"Then my father rose on his legs like a man in a dream, while they two slung on, the one his drum, and t'other his trumpet. He took the lantern and went before them down to the shore, and they breathed heavily behind him; and they stepped into his boat, and my father pushed off.

"'Row you first for Dolor Point,' says the drummer. So my father rowed out past the white houses of Coverack to Dolor Point, and there, at a word, lay on his oars. And the trumpeter, William Tallifer, put his trumpet to his mouth and sounded the revelly. The music of it was like rivers running.

"'They will follow,' said the drummer. 'Matthew, pull you now for the Manacles.'

"So my father pulled for the Manacles, and came to an easy close outside Carn du. And the drummer took his sticks and beat a tattoo, there by the edge of the reef; and the music of it was like a rolling chariot.

"'That will do,' says he, breaking off; 'they will follow. Pull now for the shore under Gunner's Meadow.'

"Then my father pulled for the shore and ran his boat in under Gunner's Meadow. And they stepped out, all three, and walked up to the meadow. By the gate the drummer halted, and began his tattoo again, looking out toward the darkness over the sea.

"And while the drum beat, and my father held his breath, there came up out of the sea and the darkness a troop of many men, horse and foot, and formed up among the graves; and others rose out of the graves and formed up—drowned marines with bleached faces, and pale Hussars, riding their horses, all lean and shadowy. There was no clater of hoofs or accoutrements, my father said, but a soft sound all the while like the beating of a bird's wing; and a black shadow lay like a pool about the feet of all. The drummer stood upon a little knoll just inside the gate. When no more came the drummer stopped playing and said, 'Call the roll.'

"Then the trumpeter stepped towards the end man of the rank and called, 'Troop Sergeant Major Thomas Irons,' and the man answered in a thin voice, 'Here!'

"'Troop Sergeant Major Thomas Irons, how is it with you?'

"The man answered, 'How should it be with me? When I was young I betrayed a girl, and when I was grown I betrayed a friend and for these things I must pay. But I died as a man ought. God save the King.'

"The trumpeter called to the next man, 'Trooper Henry Buckingham!' and the next man answered, 'Here!'

"'Trooper Henry Buckingham, how is it with you?'

"'How should it be with me? I was a drunkard, and I stole, and in Lugo, in a wine shop, I killed a man. But I died as a man should. God save the King.'

"So the trumpeter went down the line; and when he had finished, the drummer took it up, hailing the dead Marines in their order. Each man answered to his name, and each man ended with 'God save the King.' When all were hailed the drummer stepped back to his mound and called.

"'It is well. You are content, and we are content to join you. Wait now a little while.'

"With this he turned and ordered my father to pick up the lantern and lead the way back. As my father picked it up, he heard the ranks of dead men cheer and call 'God save the King!' all together, and saw them waver and fade back into the dark like a breath fading off a pane.

"But when they came back here to the kitchen and my father set the lantern down, it seemed they'd both forgot about him. For the drummer turned in the lantern light, and my father could see the blood still welling out of the hole in his breast, and took the trumpet sling from around the other's neck, and locked drum and trumpet together again, choosing the letters on the lock very carefully. While he did this, he said:

"'The word is no more Corunna, but Bayonne. As you left out an "n" in Corunna, so must I leave out an "n" in Bayonne.' And before snapping the padlock, he spelt out that word slowly—'B-A-Y-O-N-E.' After that, he used no more speech, but turned and hung the two instruments back on the hook; and then took the trumpeter by the arm, and the pair walked out into the darkness, glancing neither to right nor left.

"My father was on the point of following when he heard a sort of sigh behind him, and there, sitting in the elbow chair, was the very trumpeter he had just seen walk out by the door. If my father's heart jumped before, you may believe it jumped quicker now. But after a bit, he went up to the man asleep in the chair and put a hand upon him. It was the trumpeter in flesh and blood that he touched, but though the flesh was warm the trumpeter was dead.

"Well, sir, they buried him three days after, and at first my father was minded to say nothing about his dream, as he thought it. But the day after the funeral he met Parson Kendall coming from Helston market, and the parson called out 'Hav'ee heard the news the coach brought down th's morrin?' 'What news?' says my father. 'Why, that peace is agreed upon.' 'None too soon,' says my father. 'Not soon enough for our poor lads at Bayonne.' the parson answered. 'Bayonne!' cries my father with a jump. 'Why, yes,' and the parson told him all about a great sally the French had made on the night of April 13th. 'Do you happen to know if the 38th Regiment was engaged?' my father asked. 'Come, now, said Parson Kendall, I didn't know you was so well up in the campaign.' 'But as it happens I do know that the 38th was engaged, for 'twas they that held a cottage and stopped the French advance.'

"Still my father held his tongue, and when, a week later, he walked into Helston and bought a Mercury off the Sherborne rider, and got the landlord of the 'Angel' to spell out the list of killed and wounded, sure enough, there among the killed was Drummer John Christian of the 38th Foot.

"After this there was nothing for a religious man but to make a clean breast. So my father went up to Parson Kendall and told the whole story. The parson listened and put a question or two, and then asked:

"'Have you tried to open the lock since that night?'

"'I han't dared to touch it,' says my father.

"'Then come along and try.' When the parson came to the cottage here, he took the things off the hook and tried the lock. 'Did he say Bayonne? The word has seven letters.'

"'Not if you spell it with one "n" as he did,' says my father.

"The parson spelt it out—B-A-Y-O-N-E. 'Whew!' says he, for the lock had fallen open in his hand.

"He stood considering for a minute, and then he says, 'I tell you what. I shouldn't blab this all 'round the parish, if I was you. You won't get no credit for truth-telling, and a miracle's wasted on a set of fools. But if you like, I'll shut down the lock again upon a holy word that no one but me shall know, and neither drummer nor trumpeter, dead nor alive, shall frighten the secret out of me.'

"'I wish to heaven you would, parson,' said my father.

"The parson chose the holy word there and then, and shut the lock back upon it, and hung the drum and trumpet back in their place. He is gone long since, taking the word with him. And till the lock is broken by force nobody will ever separate those two."

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Prentiss Selby is spending a week in Menlo Park.

Charles Townsend has gone on a bicycle tour through the interior of the state.

Miss L. McCulloch is camping with friends at Point Arena.

W. S. Phelan has gone to Ukiah for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Magee and family are spending their vacation in Yosemite Valley.

Miss Emily Raymond departed last week for a fortnight's sojourn in Redwood Canyon.

Charles R. Yates is passing his vacation hunting and fishing in Shasta county.

Mrs. Carrie Froas-Snyder is the guest of friends in Vallejo.

Miss Anne Marie Von Ahnen left yesterday for her home near Calistoga. She is a graduate of the May '95 class at Snell Seminary.

The Oakland contingent at Mendenhall Springs was strengthened by the following arrivals last week: James L. Crittenden, Alfred Crittenden, Mrs. J. L. Crittenden, L. Crittenden, Mary Madden, Mrs. J. L. McCoy, Miss Nina Crittenden, Miss Carrie Grosshaus, Mrs. A. M. Rosborough, Alex J. Rosborough, Miss Helen Gardner, J. R. Johnson, O. Sieberg and wife, Miss G. Sieberg, W. W. Quinn, J. A. Young, Mrs. J. W. Nelson, Helen Nelson, Alice Nelson, Margaret Nelson, L. Jones, Mrs. E. Jerome, Ethel Jerome, Mrs. D. Peters, A. Gates, Mrs. F. H. Brunning, G. W. Cook, Miss Cook, Nellie Cook, M. Marcuse, J. W. Nelson, H. Abrahamson, Mrs. H. Abrahamson.

Mrs. R. W. Whitney of Fresno will spend the summer in Oakland with her aunt, Mrs. William Hadfield.

E. L. Steele of this city is spending a few days in Downeville.

Mrs. Mackie of Oakland is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Collins in Los Gatos.

Miss Mary Maupin of Fresno is visiting friends here.

Mrs. F. M. Pugh and daughter are visiting Mrs. Fred Pugh in Napa.

Miss Tillie Isle of Oakland is a visitor at Coronado.

Harry Travers and Eugene Trefethen are spending a month camping in Mendocino and Humboldt counties.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Kahn, S. Rees, A. E. Alexander, Miss Lillie Jackson, Misses Grace and Minnie Campbell are at Paraiso Springs.

The wedding of Miss Angeline Duncombe and William Knightly, will take place on July 20th.

Mrs. E. A. Sherman left yesterday for a month in the Sierras with friends from Washoe Valley.

Mrs. E. A. Egger is a visitor at Twin Lakes.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Swank went to Marysville last week.

J. M. Horton of Oakland has gone to Tucson, Arizona on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Marshall have returned from a wheeling trip to Lake Tahoe.

Mrs. Von Walters, Miss Daisy Walker, Miss Minnie Bixby, Pearl Myers and Gertrude Walker are spending two weeks at Pacific Grove.

Mrs. J. W. Parker, her daughter and niece, Miss Moore of Claremont, are in Ukiah for a few weeks.

Charles Quinby and Charles Ingersoll are camping in Mendocino county.

Dr. Martin J. Dunn, Mrs. Dunn, and Miss L. Leonard of Berkeley have gone to Paso Robles for a few weeks vacation.

Miss Madelin Kent of 1778 Eighth street is spending her vacation in the country with friends.

Mrs. Charles L. Pierce of 926 Poplar street is ill at her home.

Camping along the Arroyo Bayan is heartily enjoyed by the merry Oakland pleasure seekers. Fishing and hunting are the chief amusements, though the domestic bliss of camp life is also an attraction. At Pleasanton the season is at its height. While the Rose hotel is not yet quite full still there are many Oakland people there who are spending a joyous season. Among the recent arrivals are J. Kitchen, F. Mitchell, W. Blome, Angus Macalinder, B. Morris, Charles H. Kramm, T. Knowles, E. A. Mack, Mr. and Mrs. Brooch, Miss Eloise Underwood, F. Pugh, J. H. Orr, T. P. Strong, Miss Ellie Strong, Miss Georgie Strong, Clive Dam, Dr. Hoagland and others.

Miss May McLean is at Tahoe.

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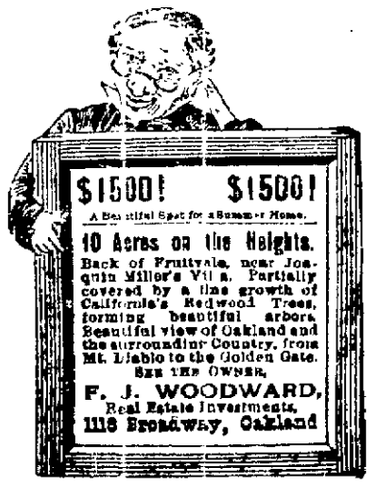

The Roll-Call of the Reef

BY "Q."

"Yes, sir," said my host, the quarryman, reaching down the relics from their hook in the wall over the chimney piece; "they've hung here all my time, and most of my father's. The women won't touch 'em; thy're afraid of the story. So here they'll dangle, and gather dust and smoke, till another tenant comes and tosses 'em out o' doors for rubbish. Whew! 'tis coarse weather, surely."

He went to the door, opened it and stood studying the gale that beat upon his cottage front, straight from the Manacle Reef. The rain drove past him into the kitchen, aslant like threads of gold silk in the shine of the wreck-wood fire. Meanwhile, by the same firelight I examined the relics on my knee. The metal of each was tarnished out of knowledge. But the trumpet was evidently an old cavalry trumpet, and the threads of its parti-colored sling, though frayed and dusty, still hung together. Around the side-drum, beneath its cracked brown varnish, I could hardly trace a royal coat-of-arms and a legend running, Per Mare Per Terram—the motto of the Marines. Its parchment, though black and scented with wood smoke, was limp and mildewed; and I began to tighten up the straps—under which the drumsticks had been loosely thrust—with the idle purpose of trying if some music might be got out of the old drum yet.

But as I turned it on my knee I found the drum attached to the trumpet sling by a curious barrel-shaped padlock, and paused to examine this. The body of the lock was composed of half a dozen brass rings, set accurately edge to edge; and, rubbing the brass with my thumb, I saw that each of the six had a series of letters engraved around it.

I knew the trick of it I thought. Here was one of those word padlocks, once so common; only to be opened by getting the rings to spell a certain word, which the dealer confides to you.

My host shut and barred the door and came back to the hearth.

"'Twas just such a wind—east by south—that brought in what you've got between your hands. Back in the year 'nine, it was; my father has told me the tale a score o' times. You're twisting round the rings, I see. But you'll never guess the word. Parson Kendall, he made the word, and locked down a couple o' ghosts in their graves with it; and when his time came, he went to his own grave and took the word with him."

"Whose ghosts, Matthew?"

"You want the story, I see, sir. My father could tell it better than I can. He was a young man in the year 'nine, unmarried at the time, and living in this very cottage, just as I be. That's how he came to get mixed up with the tale."

He took a chair, lit a short pipe, and went on, with his eyes fixed on the dancing violet flames.

"Yes, he'd ha' been about thirty year old in Jaunray, eighteen 'nine. The storm got up in the night o' the twenty-first o' that month. My father was dressed and out long before daylight; he never was one to bide in bed, let be that the gale by this time was pretty near lifting the thatch over his head. Besides which, he'd fenced a small 'taty patch that winter, down by Lowland Point, and he wanted to see if it stood the night's work. He took the path across Gunner's Meadow—where they buried most of the bodies afterwards. The wind was right in his teeth at the time, and once on the way (he's told me this often) a great strip of ore weed came flying through the darkness and fetched him a slap on the cheek like a cold hand. But he made shift pretty well till he got to Lowland, and then had to drop upon hands and kness and crawl, digging his fingers every now and then into the shingle to hold on, for he declared to me that the stones, some of them as big as a man's head, kept rolling and driving past till it seemed the whole foreshore was moving westward under him. The fence was gone, of course; not a stick left to show where it stood; so that, when first he came to the place, he thought he must have missed his bearings. My father, sir, was a very religious man; and if he reckoned the end of the world was at hand—there in the great wind and night, among the moving stones—you may believe he was certain of it when he heard a gun fired, and, with the same, saw a flame shoot up out of the darkness to windward, making a sudden fierce light in all the place about. All he could find to think or say was, 'The Second Coming—The Second Coming! The Bridegroom cometh, and the wicked He will toss like a ball into a large country!' and being already upon his knees, he just bowed his head and 'bided, saying this over and over.

"But by'm-by, between two squalls, he made bold to lift his head and look, and then the light—a bluish colour 'twas—he saw all the coast clear away to Manacle Point, and off the Manacles in the thick of the weather, a sloop-of-war with topgallants housed, driving stern foremost towards the reef. It was she, of course, that was burning the flare. My father could see the white streak and the ports of her quite plain as she rose to it, a little outside the breakers, and he guessed easy enough that her captain had just managed to wear ship, and was trying to force her nose to the sea with the help of her small bower anchor and the scrap or two of canvas that hadn't yet been blown out of her. But while he looked she fell off, giving her broadside to it foot by foot, and drifting back on the breakers around Carn du and the Varses. The rocks lie so thick thereabouts that 'twas a toss up which she struck first; at any rate, my father couldn't tell at the time, for just then the flare died down and went out.

"Well, sir, he turned then in the dark and started back for Coverack to cry the dismal tidings—though well knowing ship and crew to be past and hope; and as he turned the wind lifted him and tossed him forward 'like a ball,' as he'd been saying, and homeward along the foreshore. As you know, 'tis ugly work, even by daylight, picking your way among the stones there, and my father was prettily knocked about at first in the dark. But by this 'twas nearer, seven than six o'clock, and the day spreading. By the time he reached North Corner a man could see to read print; howsever he looked neither out to sea nor towards Coverack, but headed straight for the first cottage—the same that stands above North Corner today. A man named Billy Ede lived there then, and when my father burst into the kitchen bawling, 'Wreck! wreck!' he saw Billy Ede's wife, Ann, stading there in her clogs, with a shawl over her head, and her clothes wringing wet.

"'Save the chap!' says Billy Ede's wife, Ann. 'What d'ee mean by crying stale fish at that rate?'

"'But 'tis a wreck, I tell 'ee. I've a-zeed 'n!'

"'Why, so 'tis,' says she, 'and I've a-zeed 'n, too; and so has every one with an eye in his head.'

"And with that she pointed straight over my father's shoulder, and he turned; and there, close under Dolor Point, at the end of Coverack town, he saw another wreck washing, and the point black with people, like emmets, running to and fro in the morning light. While he stood staring at her, he heard a trumpet sounded on board, the notes coming in little jerks, like a bird rising against the wind; but faintly, of course, because of the distance and the gale blowing—though this had dropped a little.

"'She's a transport,' said Billy Ede's wife, Ann, 'and full of horse soldiers, fine long men. When she struck they must ha' pitched the hosses over first to lighten the ship, for a score of dead hosses had washed in afore I left, half an hour back. An' three or four soldiers, too—fine long corpses in white breeches and jackets of blue and gold. I held a lantern to one. Such a straight young man.'

"My father asked her about the trumpeting.

"'That's the queerest bit of all. She was burnin' a light when me an' my man joined the crowd down there. All her masts had gone; whether they carried away, or were cut away to ease her, I don't know. Anyway, there she lay 'pon the rocks with her decks bare. Her keelson was broke under her and her bottom sagged and stove, and she had just settled down like a sitting hen—just the leastest list to starboard; but a man could stand there easy. They had rigged up ropes across her, from bulwark to bulwark, an' beside these the men were mustered, holding on like grim death whenever the sea made a clean breach over them, an' standing up like heroes as soon as it passed. The captain an' the officers were clinging to the rail of the quarter deck, all in their golden uniforms, waiting for the end as if 'twas King George they expected. There was no way to help, for she lay right beyond cast of line, though our folk tried it fifty times. And beside them clung a trumpeter, a whacking big man, an' between the heavy seas he would lift his trumpet with one hand, and blow a call; and every time he blew the men gave a cheer. There (she says)—hark 'ee now—there he goes agen! But you won't hear no cheering any more, for few are left to cheer, and their voices weak. Bitter cold the wind is, and I reckon it numbs their grip o' the ropes, for they were dropping off fast with every sea when my man sent me home to get his breakfast. Another wreck, you say? Well, there's no hope for the tender dears, if 'tis Manacles. You'd better run down and help yonder; though 'tis little help any man can give. Not one came in alive while I was there. The tide's flowing, an' she won't hold together another hour, they say.'

"Well, sure enough, the end was coming fast when my father got down to the point. Six men had been cast up alive, or just breathing—a seaman and five troopers. The seaman was the only one that had breath to speak; and while they were carrying him into the town, the word went round that the ship's name was the Despatch, transport, homeward bound from Corunna, with a detachment of the Seventh Hussars, that had been fighting out there with Sir John Moore. The seas had rolled her further over by this time, and given her decks a pretty sharp slope; but a dozen men still held on, seven by the ropes near the ship's waist, a couple near the break of the poop, and three on the quarter-deck. Of these three my father made out one to be the skipper; close to him clung an officer in full regimentals—his name, they heard after, was Captain Duncanfield; and last came the tall trumpeter; and if you'll believe me, the fellow was making shift there, at the very last, to blow 'God Save the King.' What's more, he got to 'Send us victorious,' before an extra big sea came bursting across and washed them off the deck—every man but one pair beneath the poop—and he dropped his hold before the next wave; being stunned, I reckon. The others went out of sight at once, but the trumpeter—being, as I said, a powerful man as well as a tough swimmer—rose rose like a duck, rode out a couple of breakers and came in on the crest of the third. The folks looked to see him broke like an egg at their feet; but when the smother cleared, there he was, lying face downward on a ledge below them; and one of the men that happened to have a rope round him—I forget the fellow's name, if ever I heard it—jumped down and grabbed him by the ankle as he began to slip back. Before the next big sea the pair were hauled high enough to be out of harm, and another heave brought them up to grass. Quick work, but master trumpeter wasn't quite dead; nothing worse than a cracked head and three staved ribs. In twenty minutes or so they had him in bed, with a doctor to tend him.

"Now was the time—nothing being left alive upon the transport—for my father to tell of the sloop he's seen driving upon the Manacles. And when he got a hearing, though the most were set upon salvage and believed a wreck in the hand, so to say, to be worth half a dozen, they couldn't see, a good few volunteered to start off with him and have a look. They crossed Lowland Point; no ship to be seen on the Manacles, nor anywhere upon the sea. One or two was for calling my father a liar. 'Wait till we come to Dean Point,' said he. Sure enough, on the far side of Dean Point they found the sloop's mainmast washing about with half a dozen men lashed to it, men in red jackets, every mother's son drowned and staring; and a little further on, just under the Dean, three or four bodies cast up on the shore, one of them a small drummer boy, side drum and all; and near by part of a ship's gig, with H. M. S. Primrose cut on the stern board. From this point on the shore was littered thick with wreckage and dead bodies—the most of them marines in uniform; and in Godrevy Cove, in particular, a heap of furniture from the captain's cabin, and amongst it a water-tight box not much damaged and full of papers, by which, when it came to be examined next day, the wreck was easily made out to be the Primrose, of eighteen guns, outward bound from Portsmouth, with a fleet of transports for the Spanish war, thirty sail, I've heard, but I've never heard what became of them. Being handled by merchant skippers, no doubt they rode out the gale, and reached the Tagus safe and sound. Not but what the captain of the Primrose (Mein was his name) did quite right to try and club-haul his vessel when he found himself under the land; only he never ought to have got there, if he took proper soundings. But it's easy talking.

"The Primose, sir, was a handsome vessel for her size, one of the handsomest in the King's service, and newly fitted out at Plymouth dock. So the boys had brave pickings from her in the way of brass work, ship's instruments and the like, let alone some barrels of stores not much spoiled. They loaded themselves with as much as they could carry and started for home, meaning to make a second journey before the preventive men got wind of their doins and came to spoil the fun. But as my father was passing back under the Dean he happened to take a look over his shoulder at the bodies there. 'Hullo!' says he, and dropped his gear, 'I do believe there's a leg moving?' and running forc, he stooped over the small drummer boy that I told you about. The poor little chap was lying there, with his face a mass of bruises and his eyes closed; but he had shifted one leg an inch or two and was still breathing. So my father pulled out a knife and cut him free from his drum—that was lashed on him with a double turn of Manilla rope—and took him up and carried him along here to this very room that we're sitting in. He lost a good deal by this; for when he went back to fetch the bundle he'd dropped, the preventive men had got hold of it, and were thick as thieves along the foreshore; so that 'twas only by paying one or two to look the other way that he picked up anything worth carrying off; which you'll allow to be hard, seeing that he was the first man to give news of the wreck.

"Well, the inquiry was held, of course, and my father gave evidence, and for the rest they had to trust to the sloop's papers, for not a soul was saved besides the drummer boy, and he was raving in a fever, brought on by the cold and fright. And the seaman and the five troopers gave evidence about the loss of the Despatch. The tall trumpeter, too, whose ribs were healing, came forward and kissed the book; but somehow his head had been hurt in coming ashore, and he talked foolish like, and 'twas easy seen he would never be a proper man again. The others were taken up to Plymouth, and so went their ways; but the trumpeter stayed on in Coverack; and King George, finding he was fit for nothing, sent him down a trifle of a pension after a while—enough to keep him in board and lodging, with a bit of tobacco over.

"Now the first time that this man—William Tallifer he called himself—met with the drummer boy was about a fortnight after the little chap had bettered enough to be allowed a short walk out of doors, which he took, if you please, in full regimentals. There never was a soldier so proud of his dress. His own suit had shrunk a brave bit with the salt water; but into ordinary frock an' corduroys he declared he would not get, not if he had to go naked the rest of his life; so my father—being a good-natured man, and handy with the needle—turned to and repaired damages with a piece or two of scarlet cloth cut from the jacket of one of the drowned marines. Well, the poor litle chap chanced to be standing, in this rig out, down by the gate of Gunner's Meadow, where they had buried two score and over of his comrades. The morning was a fine one, early in March month; and along came the cracked trumpeter, likewise taking a stroll.

"'Hullo!' says he; 'good mornin'! And what might you be doin' here?'

"'I was a-wishin',' says the boy, 'I had a pair o' drumsticks. Our lads were buried yonder without so much as drum tapped or a musket fired; and that's not Christian burial for British soldiers.'

"'Phut!' says the trumpeter, and spat on the ground; 'a parcel of marines!'

"The boy eyed him a second or so, and answered up. 'If I'd a tab of turf handy, I'd bung it at your mouth, you greasy cavalryman and learn you to speak respectful of your betters. The marines are the handiest body o' men in the service.'

"The trumpeter looked down on him from the height of six foot two, and asked: 'Did they die well?'

"'They died very well. There was a lot of running to and fro at first, and some of the men began to cry, and a few to strip off their clothes. But when the ship fell off for the last time Capt. Mein turned and said some thing to Major Griffiths, the commanding officer on board, and the major called out to me to beat to quarters. It might have been for a wedding, he sang out so cheerful. We'd had word already that 'twas to be parade order; and the men fell in as trim and decent as if they were going to church. One of two even tried to shave at the last moment. The major wore his medals. One of the seamen, seing I had work to keep the drum steady—the sling being a bit loose for me, and the wind what you remember—lashed it tight with a piece of rope; and that saved my life afterwards, a drum being as good as a cork until it's stove. I kept beating away until every man was on deck; and then the major formed them up and told them to die like British soldiers, and the chaplain read a prayer or two—the boys stadin' all the while like rocks, each man's courage keeping up the other's. The chaplain was in the middle of a prayer when she struck. In ten minutes she was gone. That was how they died, cavalryman.'

"'And that was very well done, drummer of the marines. What's your name?'

"'John Christian.'

"'Mine's William George Tallifer, trumpeter of the Seventh light dragoons—the Queen's Own. I played "God Save the King" while our men were drowning. Captain Duncanfield told me to sound a call or two, to put them in heart; but that matter of "God Save the King" was a notion of my own. I won't say anything to hurt the feelings of a marine, even if he's not much over five foot tall; but the Queen's Own Hussars is a tearin' fine regiment. As between horse and foot, 'tis a question o' which gets the chance. All the way from Sahagun to Corunna 'twas we that took and gave the knocks—at Mayorga and Rueda, and Bennyventy.' (The reason, sir, I can speak the names so pat, is that my father learnt 'em by heart afterwards from the trumpeter, who was always talking about Mayorga and Rueda and Bennyventy.) 'We made the rear guard, under General Paget; and drove the French every time; and all the infantry did was to sit about an' play the tom-fool in general. And when it came to a stand up fight at Corunna, 'twas we that had to stay sea-sick aboard the transports an' watch the infantry in the thick of the caper. Very well they behaved, too; 'specially the 4th regiment, an' the 42nd Highlanders, an' the Dirty Harif Hundred. Oh, ay, they're decent regiments all three. But the Queen's Own Hussars is a tearin' fine regiment. So you played on your drum when the ship was goin' down? Drummer John Christian, I'll have to get you a new pair o' drum sticks for that.'

"Well, sir, it appears that the very next day the trumpeter marched into Helston and got a carpenter there to turn him a pair of box wood drumsticks for the boy. And this was the beginning of one of the most curious friendships you ever heard tell of. Nothing delighted the pair more than to borrow a boat off my father and row out to the rocks where the Primrose and the Despatch had struck and sunk; and on still days 'twas pretty to hear them out there off the Manacles, the drummer playing his tattoo — for they always took their music with them—and the trumpeter practicing calls and making his trumpet speak like an angel. But if the weather turned roughish they'd be walking together and talking; leastwise the youngster listened while the other discoursed about Sir John's campaign in Spain and Portugal, telling how each little skirmish befell; and of Sir John himself and General Baird and General Paget, and Colonel Vivian, his own commanding officer and what kind of men they were, and of the last bloody stand-up at Corunna, and so forth, as if neither of them could have enough.

"But all this had to come to an end in the late summer, for the boy, John Christian, being now well and strong again, must go to Plymouth to report himself. 'Twas his own wish, for I believe King George had forgotten all about him, but his friend wouldn't hold him back. As for the trumpeter, my father had made an arrangement to take him on as lodger as soon as the boy left, and on the morning fixed for the start he was up at the door here by 5 o'clock, with his trumpet slung by his side, and all the rest of his belongings in a small valise. A Monday morning it was, and after breakfast he had fixed to walk with the boy some way on the road toward Helston, where the coach started. My father left them at breakfast together and went out to meat the pig and do a few odd morning jobs of that sort. When he came back the boy was still at table, and the trumpeter standing here by the chimney place with the drum and trumpet in his hands, hitched together just as they be at this moment.

"'Look at this,' he says to my father, showing him the lock. I picked it up off a starving brassworker in Lisbon, and it is not one of your common locks that one word of six letters will open at any time. There's janius in this lock, for you've only to make the rings spell any six-letter word you please, and snap down the lock upon that, and never a soul can open it not the maker even—until somebody comes along that knows the word you snapped it on. Now, Johnny here's goin', and he leaves his drum behind him, for though he can make pretty music on it the parchment sags in wet weather, by reason of the sea water getting at it, an' if he carries it to Plymouth they'll only condemn it and give him another. And as for me, I shan't have the heart to put lip to the trumpet any more when Johnny's gone. So we've chosen a word together and locked 'em together upon that, and by your leave I'll hang 'em here together on that hook over your fireplace. Maybe Johnny'll come back, maybe not. Maybe if he comes I'll be dead and gone an' he'll take 'em apart an' try their music for old sake's sake. But it he never comes nobody can separate 'em, for nobody beside knows the word. And if you marry and have sons you can tell 'em that here are tied together the souls of Johnny Christian, drummer of the marines, and William George Tallifer, once trumpeter of the Queen's Own Hussars. Amen.

"With that he hung the two instruments 'pon the hook there, and the boy stood up and thanked my father and shook hands, and the pair went forth of the door toward Helston.

"Somewhere on the road they took leave of one another, but nobody saw the parting nor heard what was said between them. About three in the afternoon the trumpeter came walking back over the hill, and by the time my father came home from the fishing the cottage was tidied up and the tea ready and the whole place shining like a new pin. From that time for five years he lodged here with my father, looking after the house and tilling the garden. And all the while he was steadily falling; the hurt in his head spreading in a manner to his limbs. My father watched the feebleness growing on him but said nothing. And from first to last neither spake a word about the drummer, John Christian; nor did any letter reach them, nor word of his doings.

"The rest of the tale you'm free to believe, sir, or not, as you please. It stands upon my father's word, and he always declared he was ready to kiss the Book upon it, before judge and jury. He said, too, that he never had the wit to make up such a yarn; and he defied any one to explain about the lock, in particular, by any other tale. But you shall judge for yourself.

"My father said that about 3 o'clock in the morning, April 14th, of the year 'fourteen, he and William Tallifer were sitting here, just as you and I, sir, are sitting now. My fathr had put on his clothes a few minutes before, and was mending his spiller by the light of the horn lantern, meaning to set off before daylight to haul the trammel. The trumpeter hadn't been to bed at all. Towards the last he mostly spent his nights (and his days, too) dozing in the elbow chair where you sit at this minute. He was dozin then (my father said) with his chin dropped forward on his chest, when a knock sounded upon the door, and the door opened, and in walked an upright young man in scarlet regimentals.

"He had grown a brave bit, and his face was the color of wood ashes; but it was the drummer, John Christian. Only his uniform was different from the one he used to wear, and the figures '38' shone in brass upon his collar.

"The drummer walked past my father as if he never saw him, and stood by the elbow chair and said:

"'Trumpeter, trumpeter, are you one with me?'

"And the trumpeter just lifted the lids of his eyes, and answered, 'How should I not be one with you, drummer Johnny—Johnny boy? If you come, I count; if you march, I mark time; until the discharge comes.'

"'The discharge has come tonight,' said the drummer; 'and the word is Corunna no longer.' And stepping to the chimney place he unhooked the drum and trumpet and began to twist the brass rings of the lock, spelling the word aloud, so—C-O-R-U-N-A. When he had fixed the last letter, the padlock opened in his hand.

"'Did you know, trumpeter, that when I came to Plymouth, they put me into a line regiment?'

"'The 38th is a good regiment,' answered the old Hussar, still in his dull voice; and 'I went back with them from Sahagun to Corunna. At Corunna they stood in General Fraser's division on the right. They behaved well.'

"'But I'm fain see the Marines again,' says the drummer, handing him the trumpet; 'and you, you shall call once more for the Queen's Own. Matthew,' he says, suddenly, turning on my father—and when he turned, my father saw for the first time that his scarlet jacket had a round hole by the breast bone, and that the blood was welling there—'Matthew, we shall want your boat.'

"Then my father rose on his legs like a man in a dream, while they two slung on, the one his drum, and t'other his trumpet. He took the lantern and went before them down to the shore, and they breathed heavily behind him; and they stepped into his boat, and my father pushed off.

"'Row you first for Dolor Point,' says the drummer. So my father rowed out past the white houses of Coverack to Dolor Point, and there, at a word, lay on his oars. And the trumpeter, William Tallifer, put his trumpet to his mouth and sounded the revelly. The music of it was like rivers running.

"'They will follow,' said the drummer. 'Matthew, pull you now for the Manacles.'

"So my father pulled for the Manacles, and came to an easy close outside Carn du. And the drummer took his sticks and beat a tattoo, there by the edge of the reef; and the music of it was like a rolling chariot.

"'That will do,' says he, breaking off; 'they will follow. Pull now for the shore under Gunner's Meadow.'

"Then my father pulled for the shore and ran his boat in under Gunner's Meadow. And they stepped out, all three, and walked up to the meadow. By the gate the drummer halted, and began his tattoo again, looking out toward the darkness over the sea.

"And while the drum beat, and my father held his breath, there came up out of the sea and the darkness a troop of many men, horse and foot, and formed up among the graves; and others rose out of the graves and formed up—drowned marines with bleached faces, and pale Hussars, riding their horses, all lean and shadowy. There was no clater of hoofs or accoutrements, my father said, but a soft sound all the while like the beating of a bird's wing; and a black shadow lay like a pool about the feet of all. The drummer stood upon a little knoll just inside the gate. When no more came the drummer stopped playing and said, 'Call the roll.'

"Then the trumpeter stepped towards the end man of the rank and called, 'Troop Sergeant Major Thomas Irons,' and the man answered in a thin voice, 'Here.'

"'Troop Sergeant Major Thomas Irons, how is it with you?'

"The man answered, 'How should it be with me? When I was young I betrayed a girl and when I was grown, I betrayed a friend and for these things I must pay. But I died as a man ought. God save the King!'

"The trumpeter called to the next man, 'Trooper Henry Buckingham!' and the next man answered, 'Here!'

"'Trooper Henry Buckingham, how is it with you?'

"'How should it be with me? I was a drunkard, and I stole, and in Lugo, in a wine shop, I killed a man. But I died as a man should. God save the King!'

"So the trumpeter went down the line; and when he had finished, the drummer took it up, hailing the dead Marines in their order. Each man answered to his name, and each man ended with 'God save the King.' When all were hailed the drummer stepped back to his mound and called:

"'It is well. You are content, and we are content to join you. Wait now a little while.'

"With this he turned and ordered my father to pick up the lantern and lead the way back. As my father picked it up, he heard the ranks of dead men cheer and call: 'God save the King!' all together, and saw them waver and fade back into the dark like a breath fading off a pane.

"But when they came back here to the kitchen and my father set the lantern down, it seemed they'd both forgot about him. For the drummer turned in the lantern light, and my father could see the blood still welling out of the hole in his breast, and took the trumpet sling from around the other's neck, and locked drum and trumpet together again, choosing the letters on the lock very carefully. While he did this, he said:

"'The word is no more Corunna, but Bayonne. As you left out an "n" in Corunna, so must I leave out an "n" in Bayonne.' And before snapping the padlock, he spelt out that word slowly—'B-A-Y-O-N-E.' After that, he used no more speech, but turned and hung the two instruments back on the hook; and then took the trumpeter by the arm, and the pair walked out into the darkness, glancing neither to right nor left.

"My father was on the point of following, when he heard a sort of sigh behind him, and there, sitting in the elbow chair, was the very trumpeter he had just seen walk out by the door. If my father's heart jumped before, you may believe it jumped quicker now. But after a bit, he went up to the man asleep in the chair and put a hand upon him. It was the trumpeter in flesh and blood that he touched, but though the flesh was warm the trumpeter was dead.

"Well, sir, they buried him three days after, and at first my father was minded to say nothing about his dream, as he thought it. But the day after the funeral he met Parson Kendall coming from Helston market, and the parson called out: 'Hav'ee heard the news the coach brought down this mornin? 'What news?' says my father. 'Why, that peace is agreed upon.' 'None too soon,' says my father. 'Not soon enough for our poor lads at Bayonne,' the parson answered. 'Bayonne?' cries my father with a jump. 'Why, yes,' and the parson told him all about a great sally the French had made on the night of April 13th. 'Do you happen to know if the 38th Regiment was engaged?' my father asked. 'Come, now, said Parson Kendall, 'I didn't know you was so well up in the campaign. 'But as it happens I do know that the 38th was engaged, for 'twas they that held a cottage and stopped the French advance.'

"Still my father held his tongue, and when, a week later, he walked into Helston and bought a Mercury off the Sherborne rider, and got the landlord of the 'Angel' to spell out the list of killed and wounded, sure enough, there among the killed was Drummer John Christian of the 38th Foot.

"After this there was nothing for a religious man but to make a clean breast. So my father went up to Parson Kendall and told the whole story. The parson listened and put a question or two, and then asked:

"'Have you tried to open the lock since that night?'

"'I han't dared to touch it,' says my father.

"'Then come along and try.' When the parson came to the cottage here, he took the things off the hook and tried the lock. 'Did he say Bayonne? The word has seven letters.'

"'Not if you spell it with one "n" as he did,' says my father.

"The parson spelt it out—B-A-Y-O-N-E. 'Whew!' says he, for the lock had fallen open in his hand.

"He stood considering for a minute, and then he says: 'I tell you what, I shouldn't blab this all 'round the parish, if I was you. You won't get no credit for truth-telling, and a miracle's wasted on a set of fools. But if you like, I'll shut down the lock again upon a holy word that no one but me shall know, and neither drummer nor trumpeter, dead nor alive, shall frighten the secret out of me.'

"'I wish to heaven you would, parson,' said my father.

"The parson chose the holy word there and then, and shut the lock back upon it, and hung the drum and trumpet back in their place. He is gone long since, taking the word with him. And till the lock is broken by force nobody will ever separate those two."

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Prentiss Selby is spending a week in Menlo Park.

Charles Townsend has gone on a bicycle tour through the interior of the state.

Miss L. McCulloch is camping with friends at Point Arena.

W. S. Phelan has gone to Ukiah for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Magee and family are spending their vacation in Yosemite Valley.

Miss Emily Raymond departed last week for a fortnight's sojourn in Redwood Canyon.

Charles R. Yates is passing his vacation hunting and fishing in Shasta county.

Mrs. Carrie Fross-Snyder is the guest of friends in Vallejo.

Miss Anne Marie Von Ahnen left yesterday for her home near Calistoga. She is a graduate of the May '95 class at Snell Seminary.

The Oakland contingent at Mendenhall Springs was strengthened by the following arrivals last week: James L. Crittenden, Alfred Crittenden, Mrs. J. L. Crittenden, L. Crittenden, Mary Madden, Mrs. J. L. McCoy, Miss Nina Crittenden, Miss Carrie Grosshaus, Mrs. A. M. Rosborough, Alex J. Rosborough, Miss Helen Gardner, J. R. Johnson, D. Sieberg and wife, Miss G. Sieberg, W. W. Quinn, J. A. Young, Mrs. J. W. Nelson, Helen Nelson, Alice Nelson, Margaret Nelson, L. Jones, Mrs. E. Jerome, Ethel Jerome, Mrs. D. Teters, A. Gates, Mrs. F. H. Brunning, G. W. Cook, Miss Cook, Nellie Cook, M. Marcuse, J. W. Nelson, H. Abrahamson, Mrs. H. Abrahamson.

Mrs. R. W. Whitney of Fresno will spend the summer in Oakland with her aunt, Mrs. William Hatfield.

E. L. Steele of this city is spending a few days in Downeville.

Mrs. Mackie of Oakland is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Collins in Los Gatos.

Miss Mary Maupin of Fresno is visiting friends here.

Mrs. F. M. Pugh and daughter are visiting Mrs. Fred Pugh in Napa.

Miss Tellie Isle of Oakland is a visitor at Coronado.

Harry Travers and Eugene Trefethen are spending a month camping in Mendocino and Humboldt counties.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Kahn, S. Rees, A. E. Alexander, Miss Lillie Peterson, Misses Grace and Minnie Campbell are at Paraiso Springs.

The wedding of Miss Angeline Duncombe and William Knightly, will take place on July 20th.

Mrs. E. A. Sherman left yesterday for a month in the Sierras with friends from Washoe Valley.

Mrs. E. A. Berger is a visitor at Twin Lakes.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Swank went to Marysville last week.

J. M. Hanford of Oakland has gone to Tucson, Arizona, on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Marshall have returned from a wheeling trip to Lake Tahoe.

Mrs. Van Walters, Miss Daisy Walker, Miss Mamie Duffy, Eva Ayres, and Gertrude Walker are spending two weeks at Pacific Grove.

Mrs. J. W. Ballard, her daughter and niece, Miss Morse of Claremont, are in Ukiah for a few weeks.

Charles Quigley and Charles Ingelsol are camping in Mendocino county.

Dr. Martin J. Dunn, Mrs. Dunn, and Miss L. Leonard of Berkeley have gone to Paso Robles for a few weeks vacation.

Miss Madeline Kent of 1378 Eighth street is spending her vacation in the country with friends.

Mrs. Charles L. Pierce of 926 Poplar street is ill at her home.

Camping along the Arroyo Bayou is heartily enjoyed by the merry Oakland pleasure seekers. Fishing and hunting are the chief amusements, though the domestic bliss of camp life is also an attraction. At Pleasanton the season is at its height. While the Rose hotel is not yet quite full still there are many Oakland people there who are spending a joyous season. Among the recent arrivals are J. Kitchen, F. Mitchell, W. Bleme, August Meziander, B. Morris, Charles H. Kramm, T. Knowles, E. A. Mack, Mr. and Mrs. Darush, Miss Eloise Underwood, C. F. Pugh, J. Heper, T. P. Strong, Miss Lillie Strong, Miss Georgie Strong, Cleve Dam, Dr. Hoagland and others.

Miss May McLean is at Tahoe.

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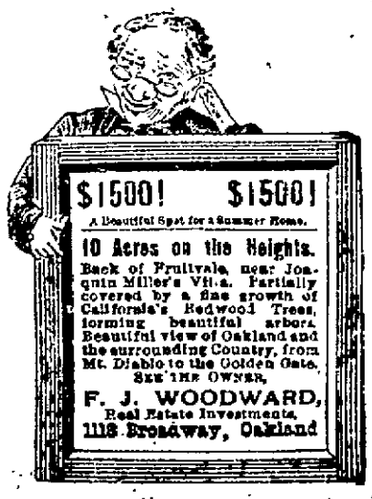

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A SHOT AT CORNELL.

English Oarsmen Decline to Take an Uneven Start.

OXFORD PROVED TRUE BLUE.

Trinity Hall, Cambridge, Wins the Championship Event.

WIND-UP OF THE REGATTA.

Splendid Finishes in the Races on Father Thames.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

HENLEY ON THAMES, July 11—There was a large crowd today to witness the final heats of the Henley regatta.

When Eton college and the crew from St. Johns college Oxford, were sent away in the final heat for the ladies Challenge plate, at the third stroke Eton's No. 2 caught a crab and lay at the bottom of the boat for a moment; unable to rise.

The Oxford boat was a couple of lengths ahead when the Oxford coxswain, H. C. Sells cried "Ease all."

The Oxford's then returned to the post amid frantic applause in which the umpire and others on his launch joined, while Eton rattled their oars in the row locks in approval.

"Bravo Oxford" was heard on all sides, and the cry of "No more Cornell" was heard from several boats.

The race then started again and the Eton crew won by eight lengths.

The trustees of Cornell university have decided to bring two crews to Henley in 1896.

Secretary Cooper of the regatta committee asserts this will be the best answer to the criticisms passed upon the conduct of the Cornell crew now at Henley.

TRINITY HALL WINS.

In the final heat of the Grand Challenge cup, Trinity Hall, Cambridge, Rowing Club, the crew which defeated Cornell yesterday beat the new college, Oxford, crew, and thus captured the trophy representing the blue ribbon of aquatics. The race was a splendid one. Trinity Hall won by only a third of a length in 7 minutes 40 seconds.

The crew of the London Rowing Club, Vivian Nickalls and Guy Nickalls stroke, won the "Nickalls cup," or silver goblet in the final heat today, defeating the Thames Rowing Club, with Broughton and S. D. Muttlebury as stroke.

The crew of the London Rowing Club, A. S. Lettle, bow; H. W. Stout, Vivian Nickalls and Guy Nickalls, stroke, defeated the crew of the Thames Rowing Club today in the final heat of the Stewards Challenge cup, winning that trophy.

In the fifth heat for the diamond sculls Hon. Rupert Guiness, Leander Boat Club, beat Guy Nickalls, London Rowing Club.

In the final heat for the Thames Challenge cup the crew of the Nereus Boat Club of Amsterdam, Holland university, defeated the crew of the Moisey Rowing Club.

INDEPENDENT COINAGE.

Indiana Democrats Preparing for the Coming Campaign.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

INDIANAPOLIS, July 11.—The committee that was appointed by the Democrats at the Maximluckee free silver convention will meet here this afternoon to plan a campaign for independent coinage.

Senator Turple has agreed to meet the committee and the members will be guided largely by his advance advice.

The senator will recommend that a state meeting for the organization of a Democratic independent coinage league be called.

Members of the commitee say that if a state league is formed an effort will be made to extend the organization into every county in the state.

It is believed that by following this plan the free coinage wing of the party will be able to control the district conventions which will meet next spring to elect delegates to the National convention.

The committee will decide whether or not a speaker shall be put in the field to answer ex-Congressman Bynum's gold standard speeches. It has been suggested that Senator Turple undertake this task, but he does not wish to do it.

THE ELKS' MISHAP.

It Is Not Thought That Any Injured Will Die.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., July 11—Mayor Stoy reports that all those injured by the collapse of the floor of the Casino during the social session of the Elks last night are doing well.

Nobody who was hurt is likely to die.

Fred Kalpeoth, a Camden, N. J., musician, who was seriously hurt, was taken home this morning. His condition is critical.

FIGHTING THE FIGHT.

Ministers Denouncing the Fitzsimmons-Corbett Match.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

AUSTIN, Texas, July 11.—A delegation of the ministers of Austin have called upon the Governor and earnestly appealed to him to prevent the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight at Dallas, saying that it was a burning shame.

The Governor gave them a respectful hearing and assured them that if the provisions of the law were adequate that officers would see to it that the fight did not come off.

Ministers say that they want the law made adequate so as to prevent the fight.

Dyspepsia cured by using Adams' Tutti-Frutti Chewing Gum after each meal.

"LUMPY JAW."

An Unpleasant Disease Among Minnesota Cattle.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ROCHESTER, Minn., July 11.—Dr. J. P. Anderson, a leading veterinary surgeon here, after making a careful investigation, states that 50 per cent of the cattle in Olmstead county are affected with "lumpy jaw."

The results of his investigations are being reported to the State Board of Health and it is believed that stringent body to wipe out the disease.

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The meat of the cattle affected with lumpy jaw is unhealthy and its sale is forbidden by law.

What makes the matter serious for this district is that the shippers who are sending stock from here to the Chicago stock yards are undergoing heavy losses by having many of their animals shut as diseased upon their arrival there.

The disease only made its appearance in the West two years ago, but since then and especially in Southern Minnesota its spread has been rapid.

SPENCER SELECTED.

He Is to Be the Attorney of the Board of Health.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—The Evening Bulletin says Governor Budd has chosen Dennis Spencer of Napa as attorney for the Board of Health to succeed George A. Knight.

The latter claims Governor Markham appointed him under the statute authorizing the appointee to serve till his successor is elected.

The job, which was created for Knight is worth $3,000 per year with nominal duties.

It was expected Budd would advise the abolition of this office.

THE NEWS CONFIRMED.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., July 11.—The Governor has appointed Dennis Spencer attorney of the Board of Health, San Francisco.

BRAVE, BUT FOOLISH.

General Marti Charged on an Overwhelming Host.

Indignities Heaped on American Correspondents at Cuba.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, July 11.—Frank Woodward, a Cuban correspondent, arrived today on the steamer Ardandhu, from Gibara, apparently none the worse for his trying experiences in Cuba.

Woodward after many weeks of hardships managed to reach Gibara.

He proceeded immediately to the United States consular agency, where he met Jose H. Beola, United States consular agent and an officer in the Spanish army.

Beola Woodward asserts, treated him in a most discourteous manner, advising him to give himself up to the Spanish authorities, which would mean imprisonment for a long time.

He was compelled to seek the protection of the British flag aboard the tramp steamer Ardandhu, and through the kindness of Captain Walker managed to reach home alive.

Beola, Woodward says, refused to recognize him as an American citizen and declined to communicate with Santiago de Cuba, where, Mr. Woodward stated, his papers had been filed with Consul Hyatt. He declared that all American reporters were paid by Cubans to write lies.

Woodward tells the following story of the death of General Marti:

While Marti with about 200 Cubans was reconnoitering in the vicinity of Gibara he fell in with 2,000 Spanish troops drawn up on the banks of a small river.

The insurgent scouts were about to retreat when Marti ordered a charge.

The Spaniards, taken by surprise, formed a square.

General Marti, mounted on a large gray stallion, which he spurred furiously into a gallop, charged madly on the Spanish square, breaking down the ranks.

The horse plunged violently, goaded and pierced by the Spaniards' bayonets.

Marti was dragged from his horse, bayonet and riddled with bullets.

CONSTABLES ARE HOPEFUL.

The New Fee Bill Is on the Rack at San Jose.

SAN JOSE, Cal., July 11.—The new fee bill is under fire in the Superior court.

It is on trial before Judge Reynolds today on various allegations of unconstitutionality.

It cuts the fees of justices and constables so that they bring the suit.

They Compromised.

W. H. Jukes, a herculean West Oakland colored man, who battered a woman with whom he was living, paid $5 for costs of court this morning and the charge against him was dismissed as she did not wish to prosecute.

Use Adams' Tutti-Frutti Chewing Gum.

HE IS PROGRESSIVE.

Street Superintendent Miller Talks of the City's Needs.

MANY IMPROVEMENTS NEEDED

The Council Should Cooperate by Raising the Cash.

ROADWAYS NEED ATTENTION

Street Sprinkling With Salt Water Should Be Tried.

M. K. Miller, the newly-appointed superintendent of streets, expects to enter upon the discharge of the duties of his office on Tuesday next, when he will have qualified, and it is expected the amount of his bond will be decided at the next meeting of the Council on Monday evening.

Mr. Miller is a native of Michigan. He is 41 years of age. He was educated in the Kansas State University and Rose Polytechnic Institute, Terre Haute, Ind., from which latter place he graduated in the class of 1885. He had completed a course in civil engineering and graduated with distinction, because, while pursuing his studies, he took occasion, whenever the opportunity afforded, to engage in practical and useful field work. In fact, Mr. Miller may be said to have studied engineering all his life, because, when a boy, before attaining to his higher education, he worked in the profession with his father.

After leaving the institute he became connected as chief engineer at Colorado Beach, where he worked with success for a year and a half until the bursting of the boom. He then worked with William Ham Hall, ex-State engineer of California, for a number of months in the hydrographic survey for the United States Government of Clear Lake. Next he did a great deal of construction work for corporations and municipalities, and all of great magnitude.

He acted as chief engineer of the Coos Bay, Roseberg & Eastern Railway, and located and laid out thirty miles of that road.

More recently he superintended the laying of thirty miles of sewers in Haywards which have reclaimed many parts of that town. This work was done under the direction of County Surveyor Nusbaumer, but Mr. Miller was engaged to superintend it. Since then Mr. Miller has superintended a number of public improvements in various places, in which he succeeded in having most valuable experience.

Speaking of his new duties and the needs of the city in the matter of public improvements, in response to a number of questions by a Tribune reporter, Mr. Miller said:

"I have made a special study of street work, and I feel that I am qualified to look after that and other kinds of work in this city. Two or three ordinances ought to be passed by the Council regulating the construction of street car tracks, the laying of sewers and water mains. Street railway companies ought to submit plans of the condition of the surface of streets to the city engineer. It is possible to so lay tracks and repair the surface afterward at the crossings so that a person in driving over them would not know whether there are rails there or not. In the matter of paving, it is a question where to begin, and where to stop, there is so much to be said and so much to be done. The principal thing is to ascertain what the people want and what they are willing to pay for. Street work costs money, and if the money is not provided the street department will be impeded in the matter of street construction.

"I am very strongly in favor of bituminous rock for street pavement. It is to be commended from every point of view. It is noiseless, easy on horses, easily cleaned, and, therefore, for sanitary reasons, is especially to be desired. It has all the advantages and none of the disadvantages of other kinds of pavements. The cost, of course, is greater than macadam, but when its merits are considered, the cost will compare in reasonableness with that of macadam. It should be laid over a foundation of concrete when traffic is extensive. It is like throwing money away to lay it over worn-out macadam, as on Telegraph avenue.

"The principal advantages of macadam is its light cost, and for residence districts it is all right. It requires, however, constant care and attention, and the gutters easily fill with weeds and refuse and prevent sweeping. It is suitable in a residence district but should never be laid in the business part of the town.

"The street superintendent has also the general supervision of new sewers, and the maintenance of old sewers. I do not think there is anything special to be said about sewers now, but I have had a good deal of experience with them and I expect to be able to attend to that part of the work as well as may be required.

"I would like to say, as a matter of justice to the city engineer, that the people do not realize the importance of the office of the city engineer under the charter. As a member of the Board of Public Works, he is personally responsible for the faithful performance of the work ordered, and that is one reason why an engineer was placed at the head of the street department. The city engineer thus hoped to be relieved of a great deal of the detail of the work. This administration aims to accomplish something and hopes to do so if the proper amount of funds are provided. If the funds are provided something will be accomplished.

"Little funds are now available and I see no other way to obtain them unless by voting bonds. I cannot say how much ought to be voted. I shall be able to estimate the amount after I shall have assumed the duties of my office.

"As I understand it there are no regular employes in the street department. Men are employed when they are needed. I believe I have the selection of the men who are needed under the law, without dictation from the Board of Public Works."

Mr. Miller was asked if he would select the employes of the department with reference to their political or religious predilection, and replied:

"One object I shall keep in view and that is to get men fitted for the positions they are to occupy. I shall not confine myself to any one class of people particularly or rigidly."

PROSPECTIVE WORK.

Asked at to what thoroughfares most needed repairs, Mr. Miller said:

"Telegraph avenue needs immediate attention. It is in a bad state and requires repairing. There is nothing serious, however. I do not know how much it would cost. There are quite a number of chuck holes that need filling, and there should be a re-surfacing to parts of the work.

"There is a great deal said about the repairing of Eighth and Twelfth streets leading out to the east. Something should be done in both these cases. It remains, however, for the council to provide the means. Twelfth street property owners object to bearing the expense of repairing that street. They say that they paved the street once and they feel that now that they have paid for the work once, the city should be compelled to keep the street in repair. My recollection of the law is that they could be compelled to pay for re-paving. The council, however, is unwilling to inflict a hardship on them.

"There has been a great deal of bad work done here in the past. The work has not been looked after. There ought to be a record kept in the office of the superintendent of streets of the work done. There should be a showing of the mileage of streets, improvements, kinds of pavement, materials in same, where purchased, and other features, so as to show what has been done, who has done good work and where material may be purchased at most reasonable rates. If such information has been tabulated I am not aware of it.

"The boulevard around Lake Merritt property should be carried out and as soon as possible. The boulevard could be made a feature of this part of the state. Many cities in the East have boulevards and several of them in this state, have them. The drive from Monterey along the sea coast through Pacific Grove and back again, a distance of seventeen miles, is one of the finest drives in the state. Santa Barbara has a boulevard. San Diego has one of the finest beach boulevards in the world. If the boulevard were constructed here, it would prove a pleasant drive for all, visitors as well as residents of the city. A people's pleasure drive is something Oakland does not possess today.

"There is room for saving in street sprinkling. The city has salt water on three sides. There is no reason why fresh water should be used on the streets. There are many advantages to be derived from the use of salt water. The bills for fresh water to the city annually amount to about $25,000 or $30,000. That amount of money would go a long way toward providing a plant to deliver salt water in various parts of the city, where it could be obtained readily for street sprinkling purposes. I intend to look into the matter and see what I can make out of it."

Speaking of the attaches of his office, Mr. Miller said:

"There is a deputy who will look after the outside work, a chief clerk and an assistant clerk. I have no voice in their selection. The Board of Public Works appoints them. I have no applicants for any of the places."

Marriage Not Abduction.

SAN JOSE, July 11.—Soon Her, the Chinese girl, who was abducted from Chinatown early yesterday morning, has been located. She has been married to Ham Ket Soon, one of her alleged abductors. City Justice Gass performed the ceremony.

MILLIONS REPRESENTED.

The Christian Endeavorers Convention at Boston.

An Enthusiastic Opening of the International Exercises.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

BOSTON, July 11.—About 500 enthusiastic Christian Endeavorers crowded the tent of the Endeavor today. Crimson and white streamers waved all over the tent bunting being draped from the great center pole.

Flags and colors of all nations interspersed the streamers.

High above all the flags of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and the stars and stripes floated.

Upon the platform a grand chorus of 500 and the speakers and prominent members of the society were seated.

The chorus and delegates joined in singing until Rev. J. T. Breckley, D.D., of New York, opened the meeting according to the programme announcing the first hymn, "Onward Christian Soldiers."

Rev. W. H. Albright of Boston called for testimony by delegates.

For fifteen minutes from all parts of the house came words of praise to the Almighty and good tidings to the Endeavor Society.

Mr. Breckley was forced to announce the next number before all who desired had testified.

He called attention to the banner which hung over his head inscribed: "For Christ and Church. Welcome," and exhorted the hearers as they raised their voices to bear in mind they should never forget the work for Christ and the church.

A hymn of welcome, written for the occasion by Dr. S. F. Smith, author of "America," was sung.

A. J. Crockett, president of the Boston local union, welcomed the delegates.

Rev. M. R. Cheeseman, of Cleveland, Ohio, read the annual report.

Secretary John Willis Baer, of Boston, placed the total membership of the society at 2,473,740.

The welcome of the city pastors was extended by Rev. M. D. Kneeland, D.D.

In behalf of the state, Lieutenant Governor Roger Walcott, welcomed the delegates.

J. H. Barrows, D.D., of Chicago, responded to the welcome for Massachusetts and Boston.

A HERO DROWNED.

He Tried to Rescue Others and Went Under Too.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

NEW YORK, July 11.—Two men and two women were drowned in East river last night, as a result of recklessness.

A woman and one man were joggling and struggling on the pier and fell into the water.

Their names are unknown.

Michael O'Neill, a young steel engraver, who tried to rescue them, drowned with them.

Use Adams' Tutti-Frutti Chewing Gum.

NO USE CONTESTING.

Chief Schaffer Is Inclined to Submit to the Inevitable.

THE ODDS ARE FAR TOO MUCH.

Mayor Davie, Though, Still Keeps on His War Paint.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH FIGHT.

Dr. Loomis Spoken of as a Likely Man for Secretary.

Chief of Police Schaffer will leave today on a twelve days' vacation, which he will spend partly with his family at Sunol and partly on his ranch at Livermore.

"I have not positively determined as to whether or not I shall contest Lloyd's right to the office he said this morning, "but suppose I did contest it and won the case what would be the result? In the first place my relations with Commissioners Piersol and Wilson would be very unpleasant and in the next place what is to prevent them from preferring a trivial charge against me which would be sufficient in their eyes to warrant my removal. No, I can hardly see what I would gain in the end by contesting."

But Mayor Davie is not so easily satisfied with the turn affairs have taken. "According to the rules and regulations," he said today, "the new chief is ineligible to hold the position, but I will have to ask the City Attorney for his opinion as to the legality of the action of the Board in removing Schaffer before I can do anything. Funny, isn't it, to ask a man for a legal opinion as to his own acts when he has already said he considered he was right? It shows the fallacy of having the City Attorney a member of the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners. Well, anyhow I shall endeavor to have the Board reconsider its action at the next meeting."

Meantime Schaffer's friends are very indignant at his removal and talk of calling an indignation meeting. F. R. Girard, the piano manufacturer, is a particularly warm friend of the deposed chief, and he only wants a meeting called at which he can express his feelings, but he has stopped his subscription to a paper which harshly criticised the chief and has taken his advertisements from others that displayed an unfriendly spirit towards him.

A number of the police force are feeling very nervous over the change of administration. Of course the rules of the department say that a man cannot be dismissed except for cause and after an examination before the Commissioners, but they argue that an unfriendly chief can easily find grounds on which to prefer charges. It has been said that the members of the American Protective Association have decided on the men that must be removed from the force on account of their religious affiliations, and a local paper has published what purports to be a list of those doomed, but this is looked upon as premature.

N. S. Douglas, who is secretary of the advisory board of the A. P. A., gained more or less notoriety by having his name signed to a document which purported to name the teachers which the Board of Education would remove, was asked concerning the report as to the police officers today. "I am no longer secretary of the advisory board," he said, "and therefore I cannot speak authoritatively, but my opinion is that there is no truth in the report as to contemplated removals."

Mr. Lloyd has not as yet called upon Chief Schaffer, and the latter says he does not desire to see him. The Council at its meeting next Monday evening will probably fix the bonds of M. K. Miller, the new superintendent of streets, who will then assume the duties of his office.

The mayor says he has washed his hands of the Board of Health imbroglio and will let the members of this department settle their troubles between themselves. The present board will meet tomorrow evening and if any of the members of the new board appear they will not be recognized, so says President Ackerly. It was expected that legal proceedings would be commenced today to test the right of the new appointees to sit.

In case there should be a change in secretaries Dr. Loomis, a retired physician, is said to be the choice of the new board.

ANGRY VETS.

Trouble is brewing among the members of the Union Veterans' League of Oakland and it is all on account of the appointment of Levi S. Bixby to the position of deputy street superintendent. Shortly after the city election the league met and endorsed George Hoguet for any position which the commissioners might give him and he was looked upon as a sure winner. But last Monday evening the league again met and besides indorsing Hoguet, also named J. A. Colquhoun, the president of the league, Andrew Wettstein, N. S. Douglas, Levi S. Bixby and C. N. Hitchcock. Now that no one except Bixby has received a position and he being an unlooked for victor, the balance of the candidates are feeling very discontented.

"It means that the league is defunct," said President Colquhon today. "The meeting Monday evening was a cut and dried affair and the man who got the appointment by reason of the indorsement was not by any means the most deserving. The meeting Monday evening adjourned to the call of the president, but I will not call another meeting, so that practically ends the existence of the league."

The latter has a membership of between 150 and 200, most of whom are members of the G. A. R.

FROM FAR AND NEAR.

The Day's Doings as Gleaned All Over the Country.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., July 11.—United States Commissioner George H. Walker has ordered the deportation of six Chinese arrested by customs officers at the Lawrence frontier a week ago.

STRIKERS SATISFIED.

WELCH, W. Va., July 11.—The Elkhorn strikers today laid down their guns. They resolved to have a peaceful settlement with the operators if any.

CHARGED WITH CROOKEDNESS.

CHICAGO, July 11.—The failure of the Leader departmental store took a sensational turn today when Carl Heernberg, Lipman Glick and Joseph Harner, members of the insolvent firm, were taken into custody upon an affidavit made by J. V. Farwell & Co., charging them with making false statements regarding their credit. They were released on bonds.

HAYWARDS MADE HAPPY.

MINNEAPOLIS, July 11.—The Supreme court has granted a stay of execution in the case of Harry Haywards, under death sentence for murder, until after the appeal can be heard at the October term.

NOTHING IN IT.

WASHINGTON, July 11.—A special to the Post from Norfolk, Va., says, the dispatch from that city printed yesterday stating that near Waphengrau, Va., a sailboat containing thirteen excursionists capsized and six were drowned was a fake.

SALVINI MUST PAY UP.

DENVER, July 11.—A verdict was given in the District court today awarding to Belle Archer, the San Francisco actress, $1,546 in the suit against Alexander Salvini, Jr., for salary for herself and husband while members of Salvini's company in 1890.

THE METAL MARKET.

NEW YORK, July 11.—Silver, 66⅞c; lead, $3.12½.

A FOOL'S WORK.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., July 11.—John Hoch, an ex-convict, today shot and killed Minnie Ingersol, aged 16, who rejected his attentions, and fatally wounded Nicholas Strife, an aged farmer, who was with her. When cornered Hoch shot himself in the head. He may recover.

NOT IN DEMAND NOW.

But the Supply of "Hobos" Is About the Same.

One of the Peculiar Results of the New Fee Bill.

The county jail has a dearth of occupants. The roll of prisoners is smaller now than for many months past. Sheriff White had registered there today only fifty-four persons as against an average of eighty-five before the new fee bill went into effect. The new law cuts constables' fees about 60 per cent and the falling off in prisoners is due to the fact that these peace officers have not been assiduous in locking up tramps and vagrants within their respective bailiwicks as formerly.

Sheriff White says there are very few "hobos" arriving at his hostelry nowadays and he attributes it as due entirely to the operation of the fee bill.

The incentive to round up the peripatetics is lacking to a great extent and the constables are willing to overlook the tramps unless they become too obnoxious.

Hitherto there was a constant stream of "weary walkers" escorted into the jail, but the tramp seeks some consolation nowadays from the law that appears to be indirectly operating in his favor.

Sheriff White is allowed 20 cents a day by the county to feed each prisoner in his charge. The county, however, secures a rebate in the case United States prisoners whose sustenance is paid for by the government. On this allowance the sheriff keeps the jail going. If the expense is greater the balance must be paid from his own pocket. At present the cost is about even with the income.

SQUARING HIMSELF.

Ambassador Eustis Says He Was Not Properly Quoted.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

PARIS, July 11.—Le Figaro this morning publishes a statement from James B. Eustis, United States ambassador to France, in which he says: "The fact is now recalled to my memory that Secretary Vignaud introduced M. Routier to me May 13th not as a journalist but as a writer.

"According to my custom I had a conversation with him, but I certainly did not authorize him to publish it.

"He did not tell me he had such intention, and if he had I should have forbidden him, as would have been my duty, to divulge anything of our conversation.

"I did not use the language Routier attributes to me, and I do not understand why Routier thought he had a right to invite me to discuss delicate questions of international politics."

Discussing the affair a newspaper remarks: "It would not require many incidents, especially in view of the effect which it produced in Spain, to lead to serious complications with the United States. The fault rests entirely with the United States, which, by carrying out the application of the Monroe doctrine to abuse, and by the iniquity of their intervention disturb European nations and injure in the end their most legitimate interests."

THE TEACHERS TALK.

Wise Ideas on Education by Many Prominent Thinkers.

AN ADDRESS BY EARL BARNES.

Suggestions for Improvement of Scholastic Methods.

THE ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

Good Men Chosen by the Convention at Denver.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

DENVER, July 11.—The National Educational Association today elected the following officers: President, N. C. Dougherty, Peoria, Ill.; secretary, Irwin Shepard, Winona, Minn., treasurer, I. C. McNeill, Kansas City, Mo.; first vice president, N. M. Butler, New York City.

Among the vice presidents are: E. F. McElroy, Portland, Ore; T. B. Lewis, Ogden, Utah.

Among the directors are Earl Barnes, California; F. B. Gault, Idaho, John M. Hamilton, Montana, J. E. Stubbs, Nevada, J. B. Ackerman, Oregon; W. R. Malone, Utah, A. L. Putnam, Wyoming.

General subject papers for the morning session was "The Duty and Opportunity of Schools Promoting Patriotism and Good Citizenship."

Joseph Baldwin of Austin Texas, treated the subject of the "Patriotism of Southland." He said the people of the South rejoiced today that the lost cause was lost. The great question in the South was the lifting up of the colored race to citizenship and it was being done. He spoke in defense of the whites in restricting political rights of the blacks.

EARL BARNES' ADDRESS.

Professor Earl Barnes of Stanford University read the following paper and "The Instruction and Improvement of Teachers Now at Work in the Schools."

"What work is actually being done today in teachers' classes in America? Who should lead the teachers' class, the superintendent, special teachers in the department or outside lecturers or teachers? Should the subject matter be academic, i.e., science, literature or art, or should it be professional? If professional, what place should be given to the history of education, to educational classics, to the questions of school organization, management or methods, to class room experimentation?

"In method it is best to take up a generalization and work out applications to class room conditions, or is it best to gather up details and work out generalizations?

"How can the practical details of time, work, pay for the instructor, etc., be arranged?

"The difficulties in teachers classes are largely from the following conditions:

"The teachers in any school department have very different degrees of ability and training, and different ranges of interest, thus making it difficult to adjust the work to the needs of the class.

"Good leaders are not always available and with a poor leader under the partly compulsory conditions of attendance that will always prevail, a great deal of time is often wasted, and the meetings often degenerate into petty debating societies.

"The rewards and punishments almost unavoidably connected with such a class in the way of position and advancement, often lead to overwork, dissatisfaction and petty jealousies.

"Teachers' classes, if properly conducted, may lead to the following advantages:

"They enable the superintendent to detect genius, draw it out and use it to advantage.

"They introduce the student spirit into the teacher's work; this spirit alone can give strength and value to such meetings.

"They give opportunity for free discussions, and for the development of the spirit of give and take, so necessary in a school department.

"They give unity and purpose to the work of the school department."

TRUE CITIZENSHIP.

George H. Martin, supervisor of schools, Boston, Mass., addressed the association on "New Standards of Patriotic Citizenship." He said:

"Five hundred years of history have become crystallized in our American notion of patriotism. Feudalism, villainage, serfdom, chattel slavery and constitutional absolutism have one after another gone down in fight.

"Blazing across the sky has been the legend, 'The Rights of Man.' For a hundred years to American children, Bunker hill has been preserved as a type of patriotism in the concrete. A patriot is a man who loves his country and is ready to fight for it. All our patriotic literature has the same ring, and so have the songs we sing. As a perpetual stimulus to this emotion, we have put the flag over all our school houses, and have taught our children to salute it.

"What does it all mean; and what is to be the outcome of it all? The practical question is: Shall this sentiment of patriotism be allowed to expend itself in mere effervescence, or shall its energy be transmuted into useful work? Shall men and women be ambitious to be themselves fathers and mothers rather than sons and daughters of revolution. In a word, shall our people be willing to live for their country while they are waiting to die for it?

"To bring about this change will necessitate new standards of patriotism. We must move from the fifteenth century to the twentieth. Instead of class distinctions embodied in the laws and customs we must see legal, social equality. And we must see that a great independent nation will not have to fight over the old battles, but meet new enemies and call for new weapons.

"When we have come to know what these new enemies are, we shall realize that the work of patriotism is no longer a struggle with pricipalities and powers, but against spiritual wickedness in high places.

"Our work, therefore, in the education of the young for citizenship, will be three-sided. We shall need fire to get beneath the manifestations of patriotic emotions in the past to the essential and underlaying principles. Next, we shall need to show what are the peculiar perils of our country today.

"And third, we must teach how these enemies are to be met and conquered; in other words, how the old spirit must manifest itself under the new conditions. It will be our business to teach that our foes are those of our own household; that idleness, intemperance, luxury and extravagance may destroy a people, that a venal ballot and a corrupt judiciary may throw down in a night all the bulwarks of good government.

"Wicked men on the bench may light their pipes with Magna Charta and the bill of rights and state and national constitutions, and combinations of men may make or unmake laws for selfish purposes and under the guise of laws for the people the people may be oppressed. The twentieth century patriot must be, first of all, of sound manhood. We must limit the two extremes in which two classes of our citizens develop—the overfed and the hungry and ragged idlers, both alike preying on the public.

"Next the new patriotism will recognize in a substantial way the mutual obligations which grow out of the interdependence of men in society. Fair dealing must be its supreme characteristic and it must be shot through the spirit of the golden rule. The whole industrial system today is practically in the hands of irresponsible agents. The new patriotism will penetrate the core of this system and bring back to it the sense of personal responsibility which it has lost.

"By this standard will the patriotism of men be measured. Are they willing for the public good, for the country's sake, to sacrifice private interests of time and money and thought, to sink partisan prejudices and to unite with all other men similarly inclined in an alliance offensive and defensive for good government, business government?

Will they vote? Will they go to caucuses? Will they take municipal offices? Will they serve on juries? Will they fight the saloon and the gambling interest on their own ground? Will they fight the spoilsmen in their own party? Will they demand and fight for it—first, last and all the time—clean men and clean measures?"

ETHICS OF PATRIOTISM

A. P. Marble spoke as follows on "The Ethics of Patriotism:"

"1. The word patriotism is derived from a root that signifies to protect, and in its secondary sense, to feed. To protect and to provide are the fundamental ideas of patriotism. This protection was at first exercised by the patriarch or father of the family.

"2. With the growth of families, this fundamental idea was extended to the tribe or gens; and

"3. After further extension, the idea embraced the several peoples of the same origin and language; till finally

"4. The idea has come to embrace great nations with a common interest.

"5. With the spread of civilization, this idea of patriotism has taken on a broader meaning. From families of individuals or races, we now consider families of nations, and what first embraced only people of one family now embraces humanity. The original idea was essentially selfish in a narrow sense. Gradually the idea was broadened, but it has been and still is essentially selfish. The extended notion of patriotism has gradually become more altruistic, and its future development will still further develop the altruistic idea.

"Already there is a community of educated, enlightened, broad minded men, whose patriotism embraces the whole world of man; while holding a warmer place in their hearts for the country where they live. It is the duty of schools to cultivate this broad, all comprehending patriotism."

"THE OLD HOMESTEAD."

A Play That Touches by Its Simple, Yet Effective Naturalness.

As it will be several years before "The Old Homestead" will be seen here again, many who have thus far put off spending an evening with Uncle Josh and his visiting friends from New England will take advantage of the last performances. Uncle Josh and his neighbors, Cy Prime and Seth Perkins, together with the other persons forming the family circle at the old homestead, seem to be as entertaining to the masses as ever, and at each performance a regret is felt that the curtain drops so soon on the finals, cutting short the evening which has brought so many happy thoughts and such wholesome entertainment. The play is staged so minutely and correctly as to invest it with an intense naturalness.

The stage setting in the last act of "The Old Homestead" is said to be wonderfully true to life. The big sitting room with the blazing logs on the hearth is an admirable picture. Above the spacious fireplace are stretched streams of dried apples, and vegetables adorn convenient nooks. A big cupboard stands off to one side with a shining array of milk pans on its top, and in the corner is the old-fashioned grandfather's clock. In the center of these surroundings old Seth and Cy are playing a game of checkers for the championship of Chesshire county. Old Cy wins the game and has to "crow about it" in the presence of the object of their mutual admiration. This precipitates a quarrel which almost results in blows when Uncle Joshua steps into the breach to the great relief of both beligerents. Then follows a war of words at long range, and the shots which the old gentlemen fire at each other from a distance forms some of the funniest incidents of the play.

The sale of seats, now in progress at the Macdonough theater box office, indicate that the five performances will be very largely attended. The engagement will commence next Monday evening. There will be a special matinee on Wednesday.

PROTESTS COME IN.

The Board of Equalization Has Lots of Work Now.

The County Board of Equalization has received the applications for the reduction of assessments

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Mr. Perez, who owns 80 feet of improved property on the east side of Broadway between Sixth and Seventh streets, asked that the assessment be reduced from $14,500 to $11,800. Messrs. Breed and McDonald testified as experts to show that the assessment was too high. The application was taken under advisement.

Mr. Potter asked that the assessment on his property be reduced from $3000 to $2500. The reduction was made by the board.

The hearing of the application of the Alameda Water Company was set for Friday at 10 o'clock.

Mr. Rogers asked for a reduction from $59,000 to $48,000 on the property on Twelfth and Franklin street. Messrs. Dingee and Breed and McDonald testified that the lot was worth $40,0000, while one of Dalton's deputies testified that the house was worth $27,500. The board took the application under advisement.

Mr. Nichols acting as Mrs. Mary Boyd's agent asked for a reduction from $110,250 to $90,000 in the assessment on the property on Tenth and Washington streets. Messrs. Dingee and Breed testified showing Dalton's figures to be nearly correct. Further hearing was set for Monday at 2 o'clock.

Victoria Walcott filed an application to have her assessment on property on Campbell street near Twelfth street, West Oakland, reduced from $3200 to $2400. The hearing was set for Monday at 2 o'clock.

L. W. Storrer representing the Pacific Postal Telegraph Company asked for a reduction from $32,500 to $8,400.

Theodore Meetz asked for a reduction from $8000 to $6000.

James Adams got a reduction from $10,000 to $9000 on his property in San Leandro.

Henry Rodgers asked for a reduction from $59,000 to $48,000 on the Merritt House. The board granted a reduction to $50,000.

Mrs. Nichols asked for a reduction of the assessment on her property on Ninth and Washington streets. The application was taken under advisement.

The board then adjourned until Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

Good meat makes muscle and brains. We have it. Marble Market, 34 San Pablo avenue.

FIVE DAYS' EXTENSION.

The State Equalization Board Sends in an Order.

No Request Has Been Forwarded by the Officials Here.

The State Board of Equalization has ordered an extension of time for the session of the county board and there is much wonder expressed over the move. The county board has made no effort to sit beyond the time fixed by law, which would elapse next Monday, had not the following communication been received today by County Auditor Whidden and turned over to County Clerk Jordan.

To the Auditor of Alameda County:—I Charles M. Coglan, clerk of the State Board of Equalization, do hereby certify that the following is a copy of an order made by said board and entered upon its minutes:

"It is hereby ordered that the time of the County Board of Equalization of Alameda County, to equalize the property in the county for 1895, be extended to and including Saturday, July 20, 1895."

Please notify the chairman and clerk of receipt of this.

Respectfully,

Charles M. Coglan,

Clerk State Board of Equalization.

The extension of the time thus ordered by the State board is five days.

The communication was withheld for a time today until a question of the authority of the State board to order the extension could be settled. It was found, however, that section 405 of the Political Code, as amended by the last legislature, gave ample room for the order. It provides that the State Board has authority to extend the time for twenty days.

The minutes of the county board show that no request was made by its members for an extension. Assessor Dalton is at a loss to know why the action was taken, he was of the opinion that the board would conclude its labors by next Monday the legal time for adjournment in case no extension was had.

The board will be in session again tomorrow and current gossip has it that the long-expected battle of the railroad and other large assessments will be commenced. Both Dalton and County Clerk Jordan have heard in a general way that the applications of the large corporations will be filed tomorrow and that the fight will then be on.

"I think tomorrow's meeting will be a very important one," said Clerk Jordan today. "It looks very much as if the fur would fly."

Assessor Dalton says he will have a small army of experts on hand to demonstrate the correctness of his assessments. "I am perfectly confident," he said, "that my figures are correct and I am prepared to present evidence. I do not care to be quoted as saying that there will be anything happen but I have heard from several sources that the corporations are getting ready for a big fight."

Among new complaints asking for a reduction filed today with the board were the following: William Cliff of a brick block on Twelfth street between Broadway and Washington streets, from $12,500 to $10,000.

E. Barnett, on various parcels of land from $14,500 to $13,608.

A CLEVER COMBINATION.

Architects McManus and Stanley Have Become Partners.

Ed C. McManus and J. J. Stanley have formed a partnership under the title of McManus & Stanley. Oakland possesses many architects of note, but none more talented than the above firm. Although young men they have had long experience. Mr. McManus was four years manager of the Clay street mills and was especially detailed to the drafting department, where his skill and talents brought him to the favorable notice of builders and contractors.

J. J. Stanley has had years of experience among the best architects of San Francisco. While with Mr. Mau he did the drafting for the fine building of St. Mary's College in this city and many beautiful residences both in San Francisco and here. Both are Oakland young men, and the success they have attained is very flattering to their known ability.

The projected arch which was to have been erected for the Fourth of July celebration was accepted by the committee, but owing to the great cost it was reluctantly decided not to erect it. Their offices are located in the Canning building, rooms 26 and 27.

HIT OFTEN

The Rough Treatment Which a Magnetic Healer Received.

"How many times did they hit you?"

"Oh, about twenty-five, and they knocked me down five times."

So answered Dr. W. W. Williams in the Police court, when testifying as to the circumstances of the alleged felonious assault which he was accused of committing upon Minnie Crouse, a sewing girl.

The doctor said he was a magnetic healer and resided in San Francisco, but visited Oakland twice a week. He said he had attended among others in this city V. D. Moody, the banker, and James A. Johnson, ex-city attorney, who was acting as his counsel. The testimony of the prosecuting witness seemed to indicate that young Flores, in whose family she was living, was very jealous of her and kept careful watch of her movements. While the old doctor was giving the young lady his usual form of treatment a few days ago young Flores and his father broke in upon them and beat the defendant as he described. Not satisfied with this they demanded $100 and when he refused to pay, sent him to the city prison. Judge Wood dismissed the charge against the old man.

THE BODY WAS GONE.

What a Small Boy Found on the West Oakland Beach.

Coroner Baldwin is investigating a rather curious report of the finding of a body near the mole yesterday. Albert McBride, a twelve-year-old boy, is the one who claims to have found the body. He says it was floating in the water at the time when he was engaged in gathering driftwood. In appearance, he says, it was the body of a boy about six years old and fully dressed. He called a bystander on the beach to help him secure the body and then went home to notify his mother. When he returned it was gone, and it is supposed the person who assisted him took it to San Francisco, where the county pays the finder of a body $10, instead of $5, as in this county. The police have not been notified of the loss of any child answering the description of the one found.

HEAVY DAMAGES.

Henry Phillips Seeks to Recover for His Wife's Death.

An amended complaint was filed this afternoon in the suit of Henry Phillips and others against the Southern Pacific Company to recover $31,500 damages for the death of Mrs. Phillips, who sustained injuries in a collision on the Seventh street local in October, 1893.

A LEAD PIPE CINCH.

James Brock Took It and He Must Now Tell Why.

Railroad Gossip and General Gleanings at the Point.

WEST OAKLAND, July 11.—Owing to the clever work of Police Officers Keefe, Boyer and Powers, James Brock, a notorious young hoodlum who haunts the vicinity of Fifteenth and Cypress streets with other toughs, was taken into custody at 11 o'clock last night.

The police have been after Brock for several weeks, but he always ran away when he saw an officers approaching, and as he did not sleep at home the authorities had a rather hard time in apprehending him. Officers Keefe says that he will place five charges of petty larceny against the young man. As yet only a charge of vagrancy has been registered opposite his name on the prison book.

The officers assert that Brock has stolen milk and bread from several door steps during the past month. He is also accused of stealing a large quantity of lead pipe from a vacant house.

In addition to this Brock has given his parents, who are very respectable people, no end of trouble. They have been kind to him but he never appreciated it and heaped abuse and insult upon them. He ran away from home several times and when he would return he would resume his old tactics of brutally treating his parents.

His parents say that he is incorrigible and are anxious to have his committed to a reformatory. They endeavored to have this done some time ago, but the Police Judge decided to give him another chance. Since then he has steadily grown worse and seems to have an ambition to become a rival of Evans and Sontag. He is vicious and declared that he would have resisted arrest only that he was taken by surprise. He was sleeping in an outhouse in the rear of Banker Miller's residence at Fourteenth and Poplar, when the officers surrounded the building and captured him. In the Police court this morning the vagrancy case was continued until tomorrow. He will in all probability be sent either to Whittier or Ione where he will have an opportunity to reform.

BREVITIES.

Assistant Division Superintendent Joe Thompson of the Southern Pacific Company is in Sacramento today on business connected with the road.

Detective Wallace of the railroad company at the mole is suffering from an attack of the grip.

The Free Reading room on Seventh street near Willow has been newly fitted up and many interesting periodicals and other reading matter can be found there. Residents of West Oakland can secure books upon the Public Library through the reading room free of charge.

A new signal post Nos. 23½ to 25½ has ben placed in the yards at the pier at the junction switch to tracks Nos. 7 and 8. These signals will be given to trains and engines out of Nos. 7 and 8 tracks. Signals 27 and 28 will only be used for trains or locomotives on the local tracks.

Carloads of water melons are now beginning to arrive. The crop this year is quite large and the prices will probably be somewhat lower than last season.

Everything is going along very quietly in railroad circles today.

Deputy Constable Tom Gilmartin made another capture this morning. He spotted John Lynch, a tramp, who beat his way from Maine, on the "blind baggage," and arrested him for evading payment of railroad fare. He caught him near Butchertown.

It is rumored about the Point station this morning that William F. Revale, the popular young merchandise broker and politician, will soon become a benedict. The bride's name could not be ascertained, but she is said to be one of West Oakland's fairest daughters.

A BULLET IN HIS BACK.

But Everett Spencer Does Not Seem to Mind It at All.

There is a young man at the Receiving Hospital who is giving the physicians some cause for discussion. He is Everett Spencer and he has a bullet in his back that does not seem to be worrying him in the slightest. He was shot several days ago by Deputy Sheriff Joe Leirl at Shellmound Park. When the wounded lad was taken to the hospital an effort was made to locate the bullet by probing, but the quest was unsuccessful.

The following day a second attempt was to be made, but the wound was causing Spencer no special inconvenience and the surgeons decided not to perform any further operations in search of the hidden missle.

The case is rather unusual as the bullet is supposed to be lodged very close to the spinal column. Spencer is improving very rapidly and it is thought will leave the hospital in a very short time. He will if no unfavorable symptoms assert themselves, be free to go about his ordinary avocations notwithstanding a good sized chunk of lead is embedded somewhere beyond the reach of the surgeon's probe.

Steward Vietory takes special pride in this patient as he is a demonstration of the careful treatment accorded inmates of the institution.

AXES AND KNIVES.

Chinese Highbinders Have a Hot Set-to at Denver.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

DENVER, July 11.—Shortly before noon today the policemen were sent in a hurry to the Chinese quarter in response to a riot call.

About twenty Chinese were doing battle with axes, knives and clubs, and stones, but on the approach of the patrol wagon, they sought hiding places.

Sam Lung Wah, proprietor of an opium joint, was found with severe wounds on his head, which may cause his death.

He had been struck with an ax by My Gow, a business rival, whose place had been raided he believed at the instigation of Sam.

The other rioters were followers of these two leaders.

My Gow has not yet been caught.

THE PRIZE BABY OF KANSAS CITY MO.

Cured of Disfiguring ECZEMA By the CUTICURA REMEDIES

Our baby when three weeks old was badly afflicted with Eczema. Her head, arms, neck, limbs, and nearly every joint in her body was raw and bleeding when we concluded to *try* CUTICURA REMEDIES. We began with CUTICURA (ointment) and CUTICURA SOAP, and *after the first application* we could see a change. After we had used them one week some of the sores had healed entirely, and ceased to spread. In less than a month, she was free from scales and blemishes, and to-day has as lovely skin and hair as any child. She was shown at the Grange Fair, and took a premium as the prettiest baby, over sixteen others. MR. & MRS. PARK, 1609 Belleview Ave., Kan. City. Sold everywhere. POTTER DRUG & CHEM. CORP., BOSTON.

TO BE FOUGHT FOR.

The Los Angeles Land Case Not Finally Settled.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, July 11.—The land office officials take it for granted that the case involving the ownership of lands in Los Angeles county, Cal., recently decided in favor of the United States by the United States Circuit court, will be appealed to the Supreme court by the Southern Pacific railroad company.

The grant in question was an overlapping one.

It is not probable the lands will be thrown open to settlement until the matter can be decided in a court of last resort.

THE CLOSING CHAPTER.

Seth Richard in Eternal Slumber at Mountain View.

The funeral of Seth Richard, the well-known capitalist, took place from his late residence, corner of Orchard and Webster street, this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The remains lay in a rich, black cloth-covered casket which rested on supports in the parlor. The display of floral tributes was modest but expensive, comprising a few beautiful wreaths of white roses, sheaves of wheat and St. Joseph lilies.

There was no choral music in the exercises, the services consisting of the reading of a few mortuary psalms, a simple, yet tender and eloquent address and a prayer, all by Rev. Dr. Moore of the Pacific Theological Seminary.

At the conclusion of the prayer, a final leave was taken of the deceased by his relatives and friends.

The pall-bearers were J. West Martin, Cary Howard, Z. T. Elkin, Arthur P. Alexander, J. B. McDonald, and Guy C. Earl.

Among those noted at the funeral were: Dr. Wythe, Wm. Moller, A. W. Moore, David Hewes, C. K. Marshall, Isaac Merrill, Jacob Greenhood, George T. Hawley, Guy Earl, John N. Whytlaw, Henry H. Foster.

The funeral was directed by Albert Brown.

A TOWN DOOMED.

Williams, Arizona, Visited by a Furious Blaze.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

DENVER, July 11.—A special to the Times from Albuquerque, N. M., says: The town of Williams, on the Atlantic & Pacific railroad, is burning.

The fire broke out on First street at 8 A. M. today, and two blocks of the business portion are now in ashes.

The fire originated from a gasoline stove exploding.

The town is without a fire department.

A bucket brigade formed by the citizens was inadequate to stem the flames.

The loss already amounts to at least $70,000.

A high wind is blowing from the south and the flames are sweeping everything.

SIEDENTOPF'S SEARCH.

He Has Not Yet Secured All the Bondsmen That Are Necessary.

W. H. Siedentopf spent a large portion of last night and today in a search for bondsmen to replace James Butler and J. H. O'Brien, the sureties who withdrew yesterday. Siedentopf up to a late hour today had not secured his men. He is under charges on four indictments and the bonds aggregate $6000. His sureties must qualify in double that amount. Up to noon he had succeeded in securing a portion of the amount necessary to be represented upon the bond.

MRS. PORTER'S WILL.

A Small Estate to Be Divided Among Relatives.

The will of the late Mrs. Margaret E. M. Porter was filed for probate today. The estate is valued at $1500. A lot in Los Gatos and personal effects are bequeathed to Mrs. Harriet M. Leach, a daughter of the deceased. Stock in the Central Bank is devised to Margaret H. and Nellie M. Leach, granddaughters. Interest upon the balance of the property is left for the support of decedent's husband. Upon his death $500 is to be given to each of her sons, Albert and Henry Porter. Henry C. Taft and Derwent Kirkland are named as executors.

TIRED OF LIFE.

A Rancher Ends His Existence by Taking Poison.

Some time during yesterday H. F. C. Rainey committed suicide on a ranch near the wayside resort of Joe Dieves, on the San Leandro road. The deceased was a Kentuckian by birth, 50 years of age and a former resident of San Francisco, where he attended the Howard street Presbyterian church.

The poison used was strychnine which had been kept for killing gophers. The coroner telegraphed to a brother of the deceased supposed to be living in St. Louis, but is was returned unanswered. An inquest will be held today.

TOWN TOPICS.

The third annual meeting of the Pacific Coast Gas Association will be held in San Francisco on the 16th and 17th inst. C. W. Quilty is the president and John A. Britton the secretary of the association.

The appointment of G. F. Sprague as a special police officer was filed today.

Enterprise Lodge No. 298, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, will have their new officers installed this evening in their hall at Twenty-second and Grove streets, by the district deputy grand master.

Chief Schaffer has issued an order changing the beats of the various police officers.

Henry Leach forfeited $2 in the police court today for violating the bicycle ordinance.

F. Collischonn, a deaf, dumb and blind man, was arrested in Alameda this afternoon and lodged in the county jail to await examination as to his sanity.

Will Marry a Conductor.

A license was issued today by the County Clerk authorizing the marriage of Charles Star, a conductor in the employ of the Piedmont line, and Miss Lulu Freeman, aged 18 years. Mr. Stark is 22 years of age and quite popular.

SOME RAPID RIDING.

Amateur Wheelmen Race at the Asbury Park Track.

The Best Talent of the Country Competing on Cycles.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ASBURY PARK, July 11.—Excellent weather for racing was the good fortune of the wheelmen here today.

The trial heats began with a mile race for novices, of which two Denver riders, Donald McKay and E. W. Swanbrough, each took one.

In the fourth heat of the half-mile open race six riders fell, but none were badly hurt.

In the two-mile national championship race R. C. Coulter won the first heat in 5:05 1-5; Arthur Gardiner second in 5:12 1-5, Nat Butler third in 5:17 4-5; Kiser, Dayton, O., fourth in 5:57 8-5.

Four men started in the fifth and sixth heats (amalgamated). Harry Davidson, Bradford, Pa., won in 5:21 1-5.

The seventh heat was won by Harry E. Caldwell, New Hampshire, in 5.19. A shower fell during this heat and it will be ridden over.

William Terrill, of Syracuse, won the eighth heat in 5:18 4-5.

The winners of the trial heats in the two-mile handicap were Baldwin, of Paterson, N. J.; Ruppert, New York; Abel, Arlington, N. J.; Winters, Tonawanda; Shinn, Lakewood; Hoyt, Bridgeport.

When racing was resumed this afternoon a nasty drizzling rain was falling.

The attendance, however, was much larger than in the forenoon.

The results are:

One mile novice, class A, first, gold medal, $20, second, silver medal, $10—C. C. Dirnberger, Buffalo, N. Y., first; Donald McKay, Denver, second; time, 2:37 1-5.

Two-mile handicap, class "A"—W. G. Douglass, New York Athletic club (30 yards) first; A. W. Abel, Arlington (200 yards) second; time, 4:38.

Final heat, half mile, open—Arthur Gardiner, Chicago, first; E. H. Allen, Syracuse, second; time, 1:10 3-5.

Half mile open, final heat—C. M. Dritz, New York, first; Tom Butler, Bridgeport, second; time, 1:21 1-5.

Two-mile championship, final heat—Mays and Saunders, tandem, paced the first mile and Johnson brothers second. Nat Butler, Boston, first; Arthur Gardiner, Chicago, second; C. R. Coulter, Toledo, third; time, 4:26; seven started.

One mile tandem, class A—First heat, H. E. Caldwell, Manchester and Nat Butler, Boston, first; H. K. and Nat Roe, Patchoque, L. I., second. Time, 2:16 3-5. Four teams started.

One mile open with pace-makers, class B—E. C. B. Bald, Buffalo, first; F. J. Titus, New York, second; E. H. Allen, Syracuse, third. Time, 2.07 3-5.

One mile tandem, final—Caldwell and Butler, won; Henshaw and Owen, second. Time, 2:30 1-5.

One mile professional race paced by A. A. Zimmerman and Harry Wheeler, P. J. Berto, Boston, first; J. A. Sturbuck, Riverton, second; H. E. Bartholomew, Riverton, third; R. P. McCurdy, Philadelphia, fourth. Time, 2:18 3-5. Seven started.

WILL RECALL THE DAY.

Splendid Photos of the Parade Taken by Tabor.

Taber, the photographer of 121 Post street, San Francisco, photographed every important feature of the Fourth of July procession in Oakland and has copies of all of them now on sale. Among the features are the following:

School children's float.
Red Men's Coat, Pocahontas.
Independent Order of Red Men.
Battle Field, G. A. R.
Fifth Regiment, N. G. C.
Knights of Pythias.
Rebekah at the Well, Odd Fellows.
Goddess of Liberty.
Fire Works at Lake Merritt.
Ancient Order of United Workmen's float.
Locomotive Engineers.
The Boston Tea Party, Osceola tribe, No. 71.
Junior Order of American Mechanics.
The head of the procession at Fourteenth and Broadway.
Fort Sumter, G. A. R.
The Frigate Constitution.
Camp scene, Ancient Order of Foresters.
Arme Athletic Club.
Signing the Declaration of Independence, Young Men's Institute.
Journeymen Butchers' Association.
Woodmen of the World.

A NEW PAPER.

Councilman Bassett Proposes to Become a Publisher.

Councilman J. M. Bassett is contemplating the publication of a local newspaper which will support the present administration in city affairs. Mr. Bassett is a forcible writer and could tell some very interesting facts in such a paper as he proposes to issue. His "Old Pard" letters on C. P. Huntington and the Central Pacific railroad have gained him more than a state reputation.

Money for Teachers.

The primary and grammar school teachers have been directed by the City Superintendent to call at County Superintendent Garlick's office Monday and receive their warrants. The last half of the State apportionment amounting to $44,408.64 has been received. The high school teachers will not receive their salary for some time yet.

Municipal Meetings.

The Finance Committee and committee on Furniture and Supplies of the Board of Education will hold a meeting tomorrow evening, preliminary to the meeting of the Board of Education on Monday evening.

The Street Committee of the City Council will hold a meeting this evening.

Dishes to let by Schellhaas.

Well! This spring lamb is delicious. Where did you get it? Marble Market, 34 San Pablo avenue.

C. W. Kinsey, Dealer in Modern New and Second-Hand Furniture.

Carpets and ranges retailed at low prices for cash. Will pay cash for or exchange good modern furniture in any quantity. Makes auction sales on premises. Call and see.

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AN ESTATE IN ESCROW.

A Vigorous Contest Started Over Mrs Cook's Property.

The Public Administrator and W. G. Tripp Will Fight It Out.

There is to be a contest over the valuable estate left by Mrs. Elizabeth L. Cook, a wealthy widow who died in this city on the 12th of last month.

Public Administrator Knight, through his attorney, Major Fred Whitney, has applied for a citation to issue against W. G. Tripp, who, it is alleged, has refused to surrender the property of the deceased to Knight.

Judge Ogden made the necessary order in the case.

Mrs. Cook died intestate and letters of administration were granted to Knight, who went in search of the estate, but found nothing that he could secure. The decedent was worth about $10,000. She owned a handsome home at 680 Tenth street and had money in several banks of Oakland and San Francisco. She kept some valuable securities and other collaterals in a small tin box in a private hiding place at her home. This, the public administrator is anxious to secure, but Tripp has intervened and the courts have been called upon to settle the contest that is imminent.

Mrs. Cook's husband died five years ago. He and Tripp were for many years partners in a mercantile business in Iowa and accumulated considerable property. They wound up their affairs and came to California, where Tripp acted as a financial agent for Mrs. Cook after her husband's death.

After it was learned she died intestate and the public administrator applied for the property, he was met by Tripp who stated that Mrs. Cook had deeded her real estate to him. The day following her death a deed was placed on record bearing the date of May 31st. Knight was informed that Tripp had a bill of sale for Mrs. Cook's personal property and that Tripp had also a decree of trust showing how all the property was to be disposed of.

It is claimed, however, that the real estate transfer may be void.

WHAT WHITNEY SAYS.

"We are informed," said Attorney Whitney, today, "that Mrs. Cook had expressed great solicitude for the contents of the tin box that we are looking for. She had said it contained everything she had in the world. We may contend that the deed is void, because it was not delivered. It was recorded the day after her death. It was, we believe in that tin box and we are of the opinion that Tripp did not come into possession of it until after Mrs. Cook's death.

"Tripp stated that Mrs. Cook made these arrangements with him before her death in order to avoid any probate proceedings. We have been unable to find any estate. If there is one and that is why the citation ordering Tripp to appear and show cause why he should not deliver the property was made."

Mrs. Cook had knowledge that her death might be expected, as she submitted to a very dangerous operation a few weeks before she succumbed. She is said to have told several persons near her that they would be remembered on the event of her demise.

She owned property in Berkeley and was well endowed with ready cash.

Tripp will not surrender without a battle. He has engaged Attorney Cary Howard to represent his side of the contest. That has been commenced over the estate. Mrs. Cook left no near relatives. She has some nieces and distant connections in Iowa.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

VEGETABLES.

POTATOES—Are steady with a good demand.

Garnet Chiles, 90@65c per ctl; Burbanks, in boxes, 60@81; in sacks, 55@75c; Early Rose, in boxes, 60@85c in sacks, 50@70c.

ONIONS—The demand and supply about balance and prices keep uniform.

New Reds, 60@70c per ctl; Silverskins, 75@85c per ctl.

VEGETABLES.—The market is well supplied with all kinds as a rule.

Green peppers are quotable at 25@75c a box; green corn, 50@81 per sack for Vacaville, 75@81 per box for Berkeley, and $1.50@1.75 per box for Alameda; tomatoes from Vacaville, 40@75c per box; from the river, $1.50@2.25 per box; summer squash, 50@60c for box; asparagus, from 60c for common up to $2.50 for choice; green peas, 2@2½c per lb; string beans, 2@4c per lb; bay cucumbers, 60@75c per box; green okra, $1.25@1.50; egg plant, $1.25@1.50; cabbage, 75c per ctl; feed carrots, 30@40c; garlic, 2@3c per lb.

BUTTER, CHEESE AND EGGS.

BUTTER—Creamery seconds are weak and dealers shade to sell. Fancy creamery is also easy. Fine dairy butter is scarce and very firm.

Creamery—Fancy, 16c with an advance for special brands, seconds, 14@15c per lb.

Dairy—Fancy, 14@15c per lb; good to choice, 13@13½c; medium grades, 11@12½c; store butter, nominal.

CHEESE—The market is quoted rather steadier, without, however, any improvement in prices.

Fancy mild new is quotable at 6@6½c per lb; common to good, 4@5c; Young America, 5@7c; Eastern, 11½@12½c; Western, 6@8c per lb.

EGGS—Fine fresh eggs are in good demand and firm, but all ordinary descriptions are dull.

Eastern, quoted at 13½@14c per dozen; duck eggs, 15@16c; store eggs, 12½@14c; ranch eggs, 16@17½c per dozen.

POULTRY AND GAME.

POULTRY—Good hens and young roosters sell off well at firm prices, and the other kinds are steady, as the market is but moderately supplied.

Live turkeys, 12@13c per lb for gobblers; 11@12c for hens; geese, per pair, 75@$1; goslings, $1@1.25 per dozen; ducks, $3@$4 for old and $3@$5 for young; hens, $5@$6.50 per dozen; roosters, young, $6.50@$8.50; do, old $5@$5.50; fryers, $4.50@$5.50 per dozen; broilers, $3.50@$4 for large and $2@$3 for small; pigeons, $1.25@$1.50 for young and old.

GAME—Nominal.

HAY AND FEEDSTUFFS.

BRAN—$13@$11 per ton.

MIDDLINGS—Ranges from $11 for low grades up to $18 per ton for the best.

FEEDSTUFFS—Ground and rolled barley, $13.50@$11; oilcake meal at the mill, $25 per ton; cottonseed oilcake, $24 per ton.

HAY—Choice new wheat is stronger again. No change in the other descriptions. The market is moderately supplied.

New wheat is quotable at $7@$10; new wild oat, $6@$7, new wheat and oat, $7@$8.50 per ton; new barley, $5@$7; new alfalfa, $5.50@$7.50. We quote old hay: wheat, $8@$10.50 per ton; wheat and oat, $7.50@$9.50; barley, $6@$8; oat, $7.50@$9.50; clover, $7@$8; compressed, $7.50@$9.50; stock, $5@$6 per ton.

STRAW—50@75c per bale.

SAN FRANCISCO MEAT MARKET.

Not much change in the market. Supplies are ample for current needs. Wholesale rates for dressed stock from the slaughterers are as follows:

BEEF—First quality, 5@5½c; second quality, 4½c; third, do, 3@4c per lb.

VEAL—Large, 4@5c; small, 5@7c per lb.

MUTTON—Wethers, 4½@5c; ewes, 4@4½c per lb.

LAMB—Spring, 5@6c per lb.

PORK—Live hogs, 4c for large, 4½@4¾c for small, and 3¾c for feeders; dressed, do, 5½@6½c.

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is Cod-liver Oil emulsified, or made easy of digestion and assimilation. To this is added the Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda, which aid in the digestion of the Oil and increase materially the potency of both. It is a remarkable flesh-producer. Emaciated, anæmic and consumptive persons gain flesh upon it very rapidly. The combination is a most happy one

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OFFICE.

460 Ninth St., OAKLAND, CAL.

ASSETS.

Loans	$36,200 00	
Real estate	3,705 18	
Stock loans	200 00	
Office furniture	691 88	
Other sundry assets	552 65	
Cash on hand	511 60	
		$41,804 31

LIABILITIES.

Dues paid—all series	$25,230 00	
Net profit to all stock	6,206 08	
Paid up stock	6,600 00	
Bills payable	1,000 00	
Sundry liabilities	768 23	
		$41,804 31

VALUE OF SHARES.

First series—Paid in per share	$48 00	
Earned	12 52	
		$ 60 52
Eighth series—paid in per share	$6 00	
Earned	36	
		$ 6 36

Intermediate series from one to eight issued every six months in proportion. For steady savings it is superior to any other known investment. Ninth series now open.

WANTED—SITUATIONS, FEMALE

A SWEDISH GIRL WISHES A place to do second work. Also a young, strong colored woman to do cooking; also an English girl to do housework, would like to go to the country; also a number of first-class girls waiting for work at the old reliable employment office, 1059 Clay street.

COLORED WOMAN WANTS GENeral housework in good family; good references, wages $20. Address M. S., box 3, this office.

A GOOD COMPETENT GIRL WISHES a situation as cook or at general housework. Seven years in her last place. Best of references if required. Call or address 709 Sixth street.

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GIRL WANTED TO DO LIGHT housework in small and help take care of children. Call at once, 562 6th st. Oakland.

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LOST AND FOUND.

LOST, JULY 2D, YOUNG DOG, (Scotch Collie) white breast, long pointed face, yellowish brown hair, affectionate to children. Liberal reward if returned to 752 Ninth street.

LOST—ON JULY 4TH, ON 14TH ST. near City Hall, diamond setting from ring. Finder will be liberally rewarded by returning to 1465 Myrtle street near 21st.

LOST—SUNDAY, NEAR 13TH AND Grove sts., basket of clean clothes. Finder will get liberal reward by returning same to Gee Eye, 1412 New Broadway.

LOST—JULY 4TH, ON NARROW gauge train or on Broadway, lady's open-faced, gold watch, heavy monogram "S. L." Finder will be liberally rewarded by returning to this office.

LOST—ON JULY 4 AT THE WILSON house entrance, a fur-trimmed cape. Deliver at 922 Kirkham street and receive reward.

LOST—A POCKETBOOK CONTAINing some postal currency and some papers of value to loser. A suitable reward will be given to any one returning pocketbook and papers to W. A. Childs, 1173 Jefferson street.

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$1500—A BARGAIN—COTTAGE OF 3 rooms and bath, high basement; brick foundation; good order; rents $12; 20th street, near West; a few hundred cash; see this at once. M. J. LAYMANCE & CO., 466 Eighth st., Oakland. 148

$5250—INVESTMENT; RENTS, $42 MODern two-story business property; corner lot, 25x100, future location; Telegraph avenue. M. J. LAYMANCE & CO., 466 Eighth street, Oakland. 135

$3600—INVESTMENT; FLATS THREE blocks off Tenth and Washington streets, 4 and 5 rooms each, rents $30; a bargain; must sell. M. J. LAYMANCE & CO., 466 Eighth street, Oakland. 133

$10,500—AN ELEGANT, NEW TWO-STORY residence of ten rooms and bath; replete with all modern conveniences; handsomely and expensively arranged; lot 45x125; location very central; one of the most desirable properties west of Broadway. M. J. LAYMANCE & CO., 466 Eighth street. 93

$6300—INVESTMENT AND SURE PROspective property, one block of City Hall rents $71 per month; improvements in A1 order store and flat, lot 25x110, owner refused $8,000 three years ago, sold to close estate. M. J. LAYMANCE & CO., 466 Eighth street, Oakland. 103

$2350—MAKE OFFER, MUST BE SOLD, modern cottage of five rooms and bath, 25x100, Tenth street, near Center street; sunny and pleasant location. San Francisco Union Bank mortgage $1700, balance cash; see this at once. M. J. LAYMANCE & Co., 466 Eighth street, Oakland. 87

$2800—$500 TO $600 CASH, BALANCE $25 per month, including interest, modern cottage of six rooms and bath, northwest corner of lot 50, 6-12-93 on Thirteenth avenue, three minutes of Brooklyn station; exceptional opportunity 17th avenue, a thoroughfare; land alone will be worth more than our base price; owner once refused $4,200 cash. M. J. LAYMANCE & CO., 466 Eighth street, Oakland. 372

$3250—CHOICE BUY 7-ROOMED COTtage, newly decorated and in good order, 50x140, choice location, between Grove street and Telegraph avenue; bank loan $1,500, balance cash. M. J. LAYMANCE & CO., 466 Eighth street, Oakland. 119

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PICNICS.

July 14th—French celebration of the falling of the Bastile.

THE WEATHER.

FORECAST MADE AT SAN FRANCISCO FOR 36 HOURS ENDING 5 P. M. JULY 12th, 1895.

For Washington: Fair weather except showers Thursday over extreme northwestern portion; decidedly lower temperature. Fresh to brisk, south to west winds. Fog is probable along the coast Friday.

For Oregon: Thursday and Friday, fair, decidedly lower temperature; fresh westerly winds, fog along the coast Friday. Saturday promises to be fair over Washington and Oregon.

For Northern California: Fair weather, slightly cooler, except decidedly so Thursday at Red Bluff. Light to fresh, west to north winds. Fog is probable along the coast Thursday and Friday, becoming clear Saturday.

For Southern California: Thursday and Friday fair weather, slight temperature changes, light to fresh westerly winds.

SAN FRANCISCO AND VICINITY.

Thursday and Friday fair weather, stationary temperature. Saturday promises to be fair with less fog.

There are no indications for any rain of any duration on the Pacific slope for the next several days. Warmer weather is probable on Sunday next.

B. S. PAGUE,
Local Forecast Official.

THURSDAY.....JULY 11, 1895.

The ease with which the English crew beat the Cornell boys may send the latter home with a great deal of the conceit taken out of them. It looks as if the Cornell crew was led to defeat by winning a nominal victory on the first trial without a competition. Of course there was much English chaffing and some of it was provoking enough. The Cornell men were evidently not in good condition. The reports three or four days in advance, indicated a defeat. The Cornell crew was not equal to the best trained crew in England. That fact was learned rather late in the day. But the Cornell boys have learned it if not how to take their medicine gracefully.

John M. Hutchings, the Yosemite pioneer, recently went before the Commissioners of the Valley and asked to be permitted to spend the remainder of his life in his old cabin that he had so long occupied there. The tears of the applicant won the consent of the Commissioners. Sentiment sometimes goes a long way. Hutchings was probably the first white man who ever saw Yosemite Valley. He turned his discovery to pretty good account. He camped down there and claimed the ownership of the greater part of his discovery. When some years ago the Federal Government was about to pass the control of Yosemite over to the State, Hutchings strenuously asserted ownership. He had built a rude house and had erected a saw mill. But he had no other rights than those of a squatter. Camping down in such a place, it was clear enough to anybody who knew the facts that he never could and never ought to acquire a title. He clamored so persistently that he was accorded a sum not less than $20,000, an amount greater than he had ever possessed in all his life, or was likely from his border habits ever to gain from any other source. That money extinguished all the equities and ought to have extinguished all sentiment. It was enough to have made the pioneer comfortable for life.

Secretary Morton on Weather Prophets.

The Secretary of Agriculture recently dismissed Professor Mark Harrington, chief of the Weather Bureau, as was supposed, for political reasons. Other reasons were assigned. It was said that he made many errors in his predictions about the weather. The Secretary was recently interviewed by a correspondent of the New York World, and these highly interesting deductions of the former were taken down for the enlightenment of all scientific observers. Secretary Morton may have been at his best when he made these observations:

"There is more science in the way we predict weather than there is sense. There is altogether too much science about it. I would rather have an old farmer with rheumatism in his shoulder and a soft corn on his foot than all the professors and their confounded books that Harrington has got. Their ain't a cow in the whole of Nebraska that don't know when it is going to rain, and there is not a professor in the bureau who can do as well as a cow—and she never looked at a book and never went to college. There is more cussed nonsense in the weather bureau than any freak the government supports. I trust that I may some time raise the standard of the weather bureau up to that of a flock of geese, for they know a change of weather long before the wise men, and never miss it."

It is hoped that the Secretary never uttered these words. Such a delivery would account for the dismissal of Harrington on the ground of sheer contempt for science. Meteorology is not an exact science, but every year it is coming nearer to that standard. Nothing so asinine as this talk was ever before made by any head of a department at Washington. It would not have been creditable to one of Secretary Morton's former backsed constituents. The Secretary evidently takes kindly to moosebone meteorology.

Diagnosis of a New Disease.

An English physician describes the "bicycle fad" as having an "anxious look and an unwholesome pallor." But how does that tally with the oft-repeated opinion that the bicycle is the greatest health appliance of modern times. The Washington Star notes that there are a few cases of this distorting malady in that city. In New York and Philadelphia many cases have been noted. The malady has now taken this dreadful name—"Kyphosis-bicyclistarum"—as if the disease were not bad enough without aggravating the symptoms with such outrageous nomenclature. This composite term indicates curvature of the spine as developed by those riders who insist upon high saddles and low handle-bars, and who when approaching the observer, seem to to have their faces set well down in their concave chests.

"Bicycle face" is the name which has been given to the painfully tense features of a large majority of the riders in Gotham and the Quaker City. First among the dogmatic statements as to this affliction was the announcement that the facial change was wrought by the seriousness of wheeling effort; most of the riders devoting themselves intently to rapidity of motion over long distances. Then it was insisted that the physiognomical alteration was due to concern born of the indifference to wheelmen's rights on the part of pedestrians, vehicles and the city authorities. The Philadelphia Press says that one of the chief causes of "bicycle face" in the City of Brotherly Love is the extremely bad character of so many of the street car crossings. "Then," says the Press, "after the badly laid crossings come the asphalted streets, where the asphalt has risen from its bed and folded itself in humps, humps and waves as if an ocean of molasses and tar under the fury of a storm was suddenly congealed. The length of these solid waves is such that they catch the bicycle either in the hollows or the summits, and the jolting is of an unusual and terrifying character."

A few cases of this character have been observed in Oakland. The bad streets may be one cause. Another is that there is always a certain proportion of those who go in for a new fad and never cease until they have either done it or themselves to death. If this dreadful composite name for the malady will not win them back to moderation there will be no hope for them. Kyphosis-bicyclistarum is what is the matter. Here is the diagnosis. Now for the remedy.

The Man of Reminiscences.

John Sherman has been in public life a little more than forty years. He served in the House several terms and then went to the Senate, where he has served continuously, save when he filled the office of Secretary of the Treasury. He has seen the coming and going of many administrations. There is no living Senator who has been in public life so long, unless it is Senator Morrill. Benton wrote his Recollections after he had served thirty years in the Senate. Ben Butler wrote up his reminiscences, but he lugged in so many personal antagonisms that his book fell quite short of popular appreciation. Blaine wrote his recollections of public men and measures when he had his eye on a Presidential nomination. He had a good word for all his old political antagonists. The work had a large circulation. Tecumseh Sherman wrote up his military experiences and found a large reading constituency. General Grant was rescued from bankruptcy by the closing work of his life, but did not live long enough to see the full measure of success which the nation accorded to his work.

Senator Sherman has survived most of the partisan heats of the day. He has lived history, so that if he were not to write a word for himself, he would go down to posterity embalmed in some of the most interesting chapters that other historians will write. He will retire from public life at the end of his present Senatorial term. He will then write out his recollections. Works of that kind generally fall short of standard histories. But they furnish the material for later historians. Sherman must have a rich fund of facts and reminiscences. The man who knows the history and events as an eye witness is pretty sure that statements are facts. There is that advantage in having the record from first hands. He has known the men of whom he writes and the events as they occurred. It is the last and most fortunate task of eminent public men after the active service is over, to sit down in a calm retreat and make up the record of the great events with a clear understanding and a judicial temper. When a work of that kind is well done it may become monumental.

The New Coal Trust.

Within the last few years there have been many coal combinations in San Francisco. These have generally increased the price of coal to consumers in Oakland from 50 cents to $1 a ton. The latest coal trust is that which has just been organized through the Dunsmuir company, who own the most important of the Wellington coal mines. When the tariff on coal was reduced from 75 cents to 40 cents a ton, it was given out that consumers would get the benefit of that reduction. As a matter of fact they derived no benefits whatever from the reduction. The importers of foreign coals put the difference in their own pockets and let the consumers whistle for low prices.

These importers, representing four Wellington mines, with those who import from Australia and England, demand that all retailers shall come into an association, and shall thereafter sell coal according to the terms dictated by the trust. The retailers are not to sell long tons of 2240 pounds, but short tons of 2000 pounds. If they refuse to come into the combination they will be required to pay a larger price for coal, and of course could be under sold by their rivals. The leading companies that formed the trust which took effect on the first of the month are the Oregon Improvement Company, handling Seattle coal; R. Dunsmuir & Sons, Wellington; Charles R. Allen, Southfield Wellington; George Fritch, Dunsmuir Wellington; J. C. Wilson & Co., Scotch, Brymbo, Australian and Eastern anthracite; J. Macdonough & Co., Scotch, Brymbo, Australian and Eastern anthracite; Oregon Coal and Navigation Company, Coos Bay.

This is the list as published in the Call. The circular states that all the wholesale dealers have entered into the combination.

The one company belonging to the trust not engaged in foreign importation is the Oregon Coal & Navigation Co., that controls the Coos Bay mines. That interest is largely represented by residents of Oakland. A large amount of this coal is consumed in this city. The difference to consumers will probably range from 50 cents to $1 for a short ton. On several former occasions the price of this coal has been advanced as much as a dollar a ton without any apparent reason other than the arbitrary decision of a coal combination. The new combination furnishes one more illustration of the peculiar benefit of trusts which draw the blood from consumers for the benefit of a few men. It was recently declared in a judicial decision that every combination to raise the price of an article of public necessity was not only unlawful, but was in the nature of a criminal wrong done in the community.

The Iowa State Republican Convention gave Senator Allison a strong endorsement for the Presidency. It came clearly into line with the Republican platform of 1892, adopted at Minneapolis. There is no difference of opinion among the adherents of that party as to what the platform means. No Republican convention has gone adrift from it. The Republicans in every state convention declare in favor of the use of both gold and silver as standard money, and for the parity of the two metals, as well as all paper issued by the Federal Government. They believe the time is coming when (through the influence of an international agreement) the mints of the country will be open to the free coinage of both gold and silver without loss to the volume of either. The Republicans do not need to add a single plank to their platform.

There has been a remarkable increase in the production of crude petroleum in California during the last few months. It looks now as if the annual production would reach nearly or quite a million barrels. Petroleum at $1.50 a barrel of 42 gallons, with the prospect that it will go to $1.25, comes within the range of cheap fuel. The Union Iron Works are constructing an oil steamer with a capacity of 6,000 barrels, to transport oil in bulk from the Ventura district direct to the refining works in Alameda. It is reported that there are now stored in Ventura and Los Angeles counties 300,000 barrels of petroleum, most of which is awaiting shipment, either for fuel or for refining purposes.

It costs more to make the Royal Baking Powder because its ingredients are purer, but it is more wholesome and goes farther than any other.

A MENU FOR TOMORROW.

FRIDAY, JULY 12, 1895.

BREAKFAST.
Fruit
Farinose
Parsley Omelet
Toast Coffee

LUNCH.
Raspberry Shortcake
Wafers Chocolate

DINNER.
Vegetable Soup
Beef Croquettes Mushroom Sauce
Boiled Potatoes Green Corn
String Bean Salad
Wafers Cheese
Macedoine of Fruit
Coffee

For meat or chicken pie try Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder.

NOTES AND EXCERPTS.

The extent to which a chimney can poison the atmosphere has been scientifically determined by a test made in Berlin. The soot which comes out of the chimney of a single sugar refinery was gathered for six days and found to weigh 6800 pounds. The New York Board of Health will please take notice.

Franklin, who drew the lightning was a professional politician, not a professional scientist. Morse, who invented the telegraph was merely an amateur. Watts, who invented the steam engine was not a professional machinist. Nearly all the great discoveries in photography have been made by amateurs. And so in nearly all lines it is the man who loves the work, not the man who lives by it, through whom progress comes.

The longest Egyptian railroad now extends to Girgeh, 326 miles from Cairo. It is soon to be extended to the first cataract 710 miles from the coast. This means, of course, an ultimate connection with the British possessions in South Africa.

An English writer recalls the curious fact that when red clover was first grown in Australia it never seeded because the tongue of the native bee was too short to reach the pollen. The work of fertilizing red clover is chiefly done by the long-tongued humble-bee.

According to the Railroad Gazette the railroad companies have ordered 25,000 freight cars this year at a cost of $10,000,000. If the crops turn out well even this re-enforcement will hardly meet the demands of reviving and expanding business.

Jules Lemaitre, the new "Immortal" of the French Academy, has been a success in almost every field of literary endeavor that he has essayed—in poetry, the drama criticism and novel-writing. He is forty-two years old, and he has had a much shorter career in literature than most men who have been chosen members of the Academy. He made his first venture as an author in 1883 with a small volume of poems. Soon afterwards he turned his pen to playwriting, and, scoring a hit at the start, he has since turned out an acceptable drama every two years. He is an agreeable satirist and in some respects his style resembles Renan's.

While the number of letters written in a year is a criterion of relative intelligence among nations, the total number of stamps bought in a given period is proof on the other hand, of the domestic prosperity of a people. Official figures show that the number of stamps of all kinds issued to American postmasters during the fiscal year just closed was in excess of $4,000,000 over the preceding year. A more conclusive statistic of the return of thrift, energy and confidence could not be furnished.

Mrs. Hearst, widow of the California senator, who is now abroad, never allows expense to interfere with her disposition to travel by land or sea in the most luxuriously comfortable manner. She has a saloon railway carriage and state cabin on the channel steamer when she goes from London to Paris, or vice versa, and on the continent, when obtainable, special and exclusive traveling facilities usually associated with royalty. Yet, withal, Mrs. Hearst is described as a plain, unpretentious woman, generous and given to good deeds. Surely no one will deny she is entitled to her sumptuous mode of transportation.—Exchange.

Two big United States battle-ships will soon need to be placed in drydock and now it is officially announced that the war ships will be sent to the British dock at Halifax, which is the only dock on the Atlantic coast big enough to accommodate the larger vessels of the new navy. What an absurd thing it is to be without the essentials necessary to keep in order the ships which some day may have to be used for the purpose of compelling respect for the American flag and the opinions it represents.—Evening Star.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

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HUMOROUS.

"Mercy!" cried the editor's wife, as she arose in the morning to find two windows pried open and the lamp overturned in the middle of the floor. "There was a burglar in the house last night—a burglar!"

"Yes," said the editor, with a yawn; "he struck us just before daylight, but he was evidently a very poor man. I only got $5 out of him. You'll find it in the bureau drawer. The key's under my pillow!"

Theodore—Tell me, now, what is the meaning of the expression "pulling your leg?" Richard—I can't tell in so many words, but I will illustrate. You haven't $10 about you that you can let me have for a week or two? Thanks.—Boston Transcript.

Young Benedict—My wife don't understand me at all. Old Benedict—Have you tried talking like a baby four months old?—Detroit Tribune.

Marjorie—That young man staying at the other cottage seems awfully nice. Madge—But he's so slow. You would hardly believe it, but he has been out with me twice and we're not engaged yet.—Judge.

"I'm tired of the hurly-burly," said the man of sentiment. "I am weary of humanity and its bickerings. I long for solitude."

"Well," replied his practical friend, "there is only one way I know of that your wish can be gratified."

"What is that?"

"Go over to Kentucky and lecture on prohibition."

Tourist (in Oklahoma)—Horses are pretty cheap here nowadays, aren't they? Alkali Ike—Cheap? They are so blamed cheap that when we capture a hoss thief we send him to a lunatic asylum, instead of lynchin' him.—Puck.

Judge—You say you have some means of subsistence? Tramp—Yes your honor. Judge—Then why is it not visible? Tramp—I ate it.—Harlem Life.

"There, Willie," said the lad's mother, "is ten cents for you. Now what are you going to do with it?"

"Save it up to buy fireworks for the Fourth of July," replied the boy in a tone whose positiveness was almost defiant.

"Why, Willie, you know you are saving up your money to give to the heathen."

"Y-yes'm, but the Chinese are heathen, aren't they?"

"Yes, dear."

"And the Chinese make the firecrackers, don't they?"

"I am told they do."

"Well, then, the heathen'll get my money just the same; so it's all right."—Burlington Journal.

"I do believe she is painted." "Why, certainly. You didn't think she was bronze all the way through, did you?"—Puck.

Charlie—What makes the old cat howl so? Walter—I guess you'd make a noise if you was full of fiddle strings inside.—New York Herald.

Mrs. Style—Isn't Miss McCook's dress lovely? She's just coming out in public— Old Styler—Hum! So I see! Half out now!—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

"Father says that if I am a good boy he will take me to the circus," said Johnny. "That is what he told me," replied his mother. "Well, you can keep your eye on me and see if I ain't the pride of the neighborhood. Father's done me a good many favors, he has, and I'd hate terribly to be the means of makin' him miss that show."—Washington Star.

Grandpa (looking up)—What is it, my boy? Freddie (at the window)—Stand out a little farther on the sidewalk. I have a package of torpedoes, and I want to drop them down on your bald head.—Judge.

Friend—If you can't live happily with your husband, why don't you get a divorce from him? Unhappy Wife—I am afraid I could not get any one else.—New York Weekly.

Lawyer Quibble—What was the greatest trial you ever presided over, judge? Judge Kidby—Bringing up ten daughters, sir.—Harper's Bazar.

"How much was that diamond garter buckle you had stolen worth?" inquired the theatrical interviewer. "Seventeen columns," was the actress' absent-minded reply.

What Russell Sage needs now is somebody he can pull between himself and Mr. Choate.—Detroit Tribune.

A young man in an outing shirt and straw hat was wheeling a baby carriage back and forth along the pavement in front of a certain flat in Brooklyn. The hot afternoon sun poured pitiously down upon him, and he was as angry as any man in the city.

"My dear," came a voice from the upper window of the house.

"You go to thunder," he shrieked back. "Let me alone, cant you?" and he went on wheeling and mopping his face.

An hour later the same voice came from the same window in earnest pleading tones:

"George, dear!"

"Well, what in the deuce do you want?" he shouted. "Have the water pipes burst?"

"No, George, dear," wailed the voice; "the water pipes are all right, but you've been wheeling Lottie's dool all the afternoon. Had'nt you better let baby have a turn now?"

This was last week, but George is still in the hospital pending an examination as to his sanity.—Truth.

"Your husband has been ill," said the caller. "Yes," replied the little, worried-looking woman; "he has been feeling very badly. I do my best to please him, but nothing seems to satisfy him." "Is his condition critical?" "It's worse than critical," she answered with a sigh, "it's abusive."

A WONDER OF THE SEA.

A Great Barrier Reef Constructed by Tiny Insects.

One of the marine wonders of the world is the great Barrier Reef of Australia. This stupendous rampart of coral, stretching in an almost unbroken line for 1250 miles along the northeastern coast of Australia, presents features of interest which are not to be equalled in any other quarter of the globe. Nowhere is the action of the little marine insect, which builds up with untiring industry those mighty mountains with which the tropical seas are studded, more apparent.

By a simple process of secretion there has been reared in the course of countless centuries an adamantine wall against which the billows of the Pacific, sweeping along in an uninterrupted course of several thousand miles, dash themselves into ineffectual fury. Inclosed within the range of its protecting arms is a calm inland sea, dotted with a multitude of coral islets, and presenting at every turn objects of interest alike to the unlearned traveler and the man of science.

Here may be witnessed the process by which the wavy gelatinous mass hardens into stone, then serves as a collecting ground for the flotsam and jetsam of the ocean, and ultimately develops into an island covered with a luxuriant mass of tropical growth. Here, again, may be seen in the seven depths of placid pools extraordinary forms of marine life, aglow with the most brilliant colors, and producing in their infinite variety a bewildering sense of the vastness of the life of the ocean.—London Public Opinion.

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GATHERINGS OF THE LODGES.

Many Officials Are Elected for the Ensuing Year.

HARMONY REIGNS SUPREME.

A Number of Social Events Brightened the Work.

The week before July Fourth was given up by the various lodges of this city to making arrangements for the display they intended making on the anniversary of the Declaration of Independence. Since that time the meetings of the same organizations have been devoted in the main to talking over the success of the celebration and the part they played in the great undertaking. For that reason, as also because of the midsummer vacation, which is being enjoyed by so many members of fraternal orders, the budget of interesting news is not so varied as usual. And yet, the readers of this department will not be unrewarded in perusing its columns this week.

Woodmen of the World.

The new officers of Peralta Camp Woodmen of the World, for the ensuing term are as follows: S. Taylor; consul; E. Q Turner, adviser; H. Sangster, clerk; J. E. Little, banker; W. C. Bissell, escort; W. E. Owen, watchman; George Martin, sentry; Dr. Whitworth, physician, managers, W. H. Waste, W. P. Woolsey, E. T. Harms The Past Consul is Mr. Mikkelsen. These officers will be installed by Past Head Consul M. T. Moses of San Francisco on July 29th.

Order United Workmen.

The new officers of Ivy lodge No. 4, Degree of Honor, A. O. U. W., were greeted by a large membership Monday evening. Those who took their respective chairs were: Past chief of honor, Mrs. A. A. Wood; chief of honor, Mrs. Marks; lady of honor, Mrs. Oakes; chief of ceremonies, Mrs. Moore; sister usher, Mrs. Hodges; inside guardian, Mrs. Parkinson; outside guardian, Brother Carr.

Everything worked harmoniously, the officers performing the functions like veterans.

Sisters Larrabee and Fulcher were appointed maids of honor; Sisters Bradley, Sturrock and Brown were appointed as the finance committee; Sisters Rowe, Jacobson and Hanan were appointed on the new attraction committee for next Monday evening.

During recess several enjoyable games were indulged in.

Brother J. M. Cohen by his inimitable wit and humor convulsed all those present with laughter.

Brother Wood's imitation of the "bark of a dog" was somewhat "green" but members say they hope he will be better the next time.

Brother Isaacs tried to bleat like a lamb, but collapsed when a sister remarked sotto voice that his perfomance was much like a "Buckley lamb." It is said that if an ample apology is not forthcoming the injured brother intends to resign.

An invitation which was received from Silver Star lodge, Temescal, to attend the installation of its officers this evening, was accepted, nearly all present signifying their intention of attending. Those going will take the Telegraph avenue cars at the corner of Broadway and Twelfth street at 7:30 o'clock.

Past Chief of Honor Mrs. Sturrock on behalf of Sister Macdonald, who is well on her road to Scotland, delivered her best wishes and love to the members of the lodge. Ivy lodge will always have the sweetest memories of Sister Macdonald, who has been one of its most zealous workers.

Brother J. M. Cohen made one of the most eloquent speeches heard for some time in the lodge room, in praising the work of District Deputy Mrs. Cogan.

Sister Sturrock spoke in an earnest and unselfish strain on behalf of the beneficiary certificate. Her remarks met with warm approval.

Brother McAllister on behalf of Oak Leaf lodge No. 35, A. O. U. W., tendered a vote of thanks to the members of Ivy lodge for their valuable services on the Fourth of July.

A vote of thanks was given by Ivy lodge to Oak Leaf lodge for the use of the latter's lodge room on the evening of the installation of the officers of Ivy lodge.

J. J. Griffiths of Occidental lodge No. 6 of this city attended a banquet given a few nights ago by Sacramento lodge No. 80, A. O. U. W.

Last Saturday evening the Oakland drill team officiated at the investment of the officers of Harmony lodge in San Francisco, in the presence of a large gathering of members.

Improved Order Red Men.

Great preparations are being made throughout the State for the grand council session of Improved Order of Red Men, which is to be held in Redwood City, beginning August 8th. It is the intention to make it the most notable gathering of Red Men that has ever been held on this reservation. Orders for the manufacture of the teepees for the Indian village to be erected upon the court house grounds, were given last Tuesday by the committee in San Francisco having the matter in charge. Set pieces of fireworks, displaying appropriate emblems and historical events of the order, have been added to the programme.

A touching incident occurred during the installation of the officers of Germania lodge, Improved Order of Red Men in San Francisco a few nights ago. C. J. Jehrbach, who has acted for many years as secretary, found himself compelled to resign the office on account of his failing eyesight. This lodge is one of the oldest on the coast and has a capital of $4,500.

Odd Fellows.

The new home of Odd Fellows at Thermalito is now complete, requiring to be furnished with household goods, gas fixtures and a few minor features only. The trustees and officers of the home have just concluded a very harmonious meeting in San Francisco, at which they decided to advertise for bids for the furnishing of these supplies. It is expected that the home will be ready for occupancy by eligible Odd Fellows in about six weeks.

F. and A. M.

J. J. Warner, secretary of Live Oak lodge No. 61, F and A. M., announces that that lodge will confer the third degree tomorrow evening.

Cremation services have been officially declared by the Masonic authority not to be Christian burial. The question that brought about this decision arose over the making of funeral arrangements for the late Charles H. Reisser, a high Mason. It had always been Mr. Reisser's wish to be cremated. The grand master of Pennsylvania, Judge Arnold, returned a decision and the services of the cremation were not Christian burial under the Masonic law, and the family decided to abandon their original intention to cremate.

Ancient Order of Foresters.

Court Piedmont, A. O. F., gave an interesting entertainment last Tuesday evening when the following programme was rendered: Vocal solo, Mrs. Walker; piano solo, Miss Heckman; vocal solo, Mrs Mhoon; violin solo, Mr. Britchey; sketches, Cotton children.

At the next meeting of the court there will be an installation of officers.

The Board of Deputies have organized preparatory to visiting the various courts in this jurisdiction and exemplifying the hidden work. The first court visited was Court University.

Foresters of America.

Court United States of America No. 7741, A. O. F. of A., held one of its enthusiastic meetings last Tuesday evening, two-thirds of the members being present.

The principal feature of the evening was the installation of officers, Deputy Grand Chief Ranger Sam Meyer, assisted by Chief Ranger H. Klee of Court Haywards, conducted the exercises as follows. Chief ranger, R. Rosenberg; sub-chief ranger, George Gaylord; recording secretary, F. Jacobs; senior woodward, B. Jacobs; junior woodward, W. J Sears; senior beadle, S. Rosenberg; junior beadle, D S Burwell.

After the installation the visiting members from Courts Haywards, Shellmound, Oakland, Fruitvale, Justice, Golden Gate, Golden West and United States adjourned to the banquet hall, where a spread was in awaiting

Deputy Sam Meyer acted as toastmaster, and in that capacity was an unqualified success.

Brother F. Jacobs delivered the address of welcome and was followed by Junior Past Chief Ranger Holden, who enlightened the visitors on the history of Court United States. Able and eloquent addressed were delivered by B. Bercovich, George Gaylord, of United States; Max Licht of Court Golden Gate, H. Klee of Court Haywards; J. Levere of Court Shell Mound, Dr Maher, H. Relhm, M. Lesser, R. Rosenberg and others

One of the most pleasing features of the evening and a surprise to the retiring Chief Ranger was the presentation to that officer of a beautiful gold badge, the emblem of the order, by Deputy Sam Meyer, on behalf of the members of Court United States. Brother Holden, although overcome by the surprise found words of thanks for the token.

The next on the programme was a zither solo by J Robinson comic song by C. H. Lohmeyer, and a piano solo by H. Ross. After the musical part of the programme was concluded the following presentations were made

J. Trenger in a very neat speech presented H. Kaufman with a members' certificate framed and mounted on an easel, this being the prize offered to the brother selling the largest number of tickets for the picnic.

A. E. Trimble presented the retiring chief ranger with a P. C. R. certificate, also framed and mounted on an easel.

Past Chief Ranger Holden, on behalf of himself presented Chief Ranger Rosenberg with a members' certificate framed and mounted on an easel, this being the prize offered to the brother bringing in the largest number of members during the past six months.

After giving three hearty cheers for Court United States the visitors went home satisfied that the organization is the banner court in Alameda county

Court United States will pay a fraternal visit to Court Shellmound this evening.

Degree of Honor.

United States of America Circle No. 260, at its meeting last Monday evening initiated five members and received four applications After the meeting the doors wer thrown open to the invited guests to witness the public installation arranged by the newly elected officers.

After an overture by the orchestra Deputy Chief Companion Mrs Worms, assisted by Miss M. Burkheim of Bay City Circle, installed the following officers for the ensuing term: Chief companion, Mrs. Flora Jacobs; subchief companion, Miss Nellie Thacker; financial secretary, M. E. Harris; recording secretary, Mrs. B. Ross; right guide, Mrs. J R. Hines; left guide, Mrs. Lorenson; inner guard, Mrs. M. Pickford; outer guard, Mrs. C. Silverstien.

After the installation T. L. Holden presented Junior Past Chief Companion Mrs. Ray Cohen on behalf of United States Circle with a beautiful gold jewel. The companion was so surprised that she was unable to find words of acceptance, but managed to shed a few tears.

After the presentation the floor was cleared for dancing. Refreshments were served and all having refreshed themselves dancing was resumed and continued until a late hour. A delightful evening was enjoyed by all present.

United States Circle gave its second monthly social in its hall on July 8th. The attendance was very large. Over 70 couples being in the grand march. Each guest was presented with a boquet of beautiful flowers. Ice cream and cake was served. The social was a decided success, both financially and socially. Credit is due the committee of arrangements which consisted of Mrs. Freda Jacobs, chairman; Mrs. B. Ross, Mrs. M. Cohen and Mrs. M. Casovia.

Knights of Pythias.

Oakland, it may be said, has had its share of honors in the fraternal world, and is now in the enjoyment of distinction because of the number of grand officers of the various orders which are to be found in her lodges.

Among the number that of the Grand Chancellor of the Pythian order, which position is now filled by George Samuels. To this office Mr. Samuels was elected a few months ago, and it was expected that, at the time, his exaltation would be signalized by a presentation which would bear witness to the esteem in which the new official was held among his fellow members. It is true, a reception was tendered him after his return to this city with his honors clustering about his, but it remained until Thursday last, for the Knights to properly pay their respects to their leader. It was after the great parade in honor of the Declaration of Independence, and the members of all the lodges of the Pythian order and the several temples of Rathbone Sisters assembled in Castle Hall at a banquet provided by the enthusiastic members of the several temples. After the edibles had been disposed of Grand Chancellor Samuels was genuinely surprised by the presentation of a massive cup of solid silver, resting on a base of ebony and appropriately engraved. The presentation speech was made by D. B. Bankhead. It was an eloquent effort, but not too fervid to set forth the respect which the Knights of this county entertain for the grand chancellor.

The remarks were enthusiastically received and this fact taken with the sentiment and surprise overcame Mr Samuels and it was sometime before he could master his emotions to reply. He at length succeeded, however, and made an eloquent and heartfelt response.

In the evening there was a grand ball and thus was brought to a close the memorable clebration of July 4th by the Pythians of Alameda county

OAKLAND LODGE

Oakland Lodge, No 103, was well represented in the Fourth of July parade, and all of the paraphernalia used on the float was sent by the lodge to the general committee.

This lodge has sustained the loss of one of its members, William B. Lewis, who was killed by falling off a scaffold on the State university grounds at Berkeley. The remains were forwarded to his home in Ottawa, Ills. The funeral services were attended by a large number of Knights and friends of the deceased. The ceremonies were conducted by Past Chancellor S Samuels according to the ritual after which all the members took a farewell look at their departed brother.

Oakland lodge will install its newly-elected officers next Friday evening, after which a banquet will be given to the grand officers and visitors. Invitations have been sent to all the Alameda lodges to be present and all visiting brothers are invited to attend. They are assured a knightly welcome Oakland lodge is rooted for its fraternal welcome to all brother Knights. This lodge will confer the Knight rank on Friday night, July 19th, when a large number of visitors are expected from all over the county

NEW PYTHIAN LAWS.

Grand Chancellor George Samuel, K. of P., of this city has issued in convenient form a digest of the more important legislation adopted at the late Grand Lodge of the order held in Monterey. The compendium is intended to afford members of the order a knowledge of the new laws pending the publication of the journal of proceedings of the Grand Lodge. Some of the features of this epitome have already been referred to by the Tribune and others are now presented for the first time. They will be appreciated because many Knights have not thus far been made acquainted with the latest enactments of the Grand body. They are as follows:

"The constitution for subordinate lodges heretofore in operation is repealed and in its stead the laws governing subordinate lodges are in the form of statutes.

"The terms of all ritualistic officers is now six months, and elections are to be held at the first convention in June and December. Those officers elected in November, 1894, to serve for a term of one year are not to be disturbed, but must be permitted to serve out the terms for which they were elected.

"By-laws must be in conformity with the supreme and grand law. The Grand Lodge committee on law will prepare and submit to the various subordinate lodges a model set of by-laws which subordinate lodges may reject or approve. The idea of this feature is to enable the by-laws of all the lodges to be as nearly uniform as possible.

"A member in arrears five months for dues, fines or assessments shall not be entitled to any weekly benefits nor permitted to vote in his lodge.

"The Knighthood fee is $15 except in case of a lodge of fifty members, where the grand chancellor may reduce it to $10.

"Bureaus of relief may be organized in every city or town where three or more lodges exist, by and with the consent of a majority of these lodges

"A semi-annual levy of 5 cents per member is made upon all subordinate lodges for the establishment and maintenance of a Pythian home."

Young Men's Institute.

At the last regular meeting of Fraternity Council, No 82, Y. M. I., of East Oakland, the following officers were chosen President, M. A. McInnis; first vice president, J. T. Harrington, second vice president, J. F. Moran, recording secretary, C. H O'Connor; financial secretary, W V. Harrington; treasurer, A. Kretz; marshal, D. Hankins; surgeon, Dr. B. F. Stetson; inside sentinel, Frank Slattery, outside sentinel, P. C. Peters; executive committee, J. T. Cary, V. Gilargan and J. J. Mulgrew.

One candidate was initiated at the meeting and a few applications were read.

Next Tuesday evening Oakland Council, No. 6, will elect its officers for the ensuing year.

During the evening six candidates will be initiated into the order. The ode will be rendered at the ceremony by trained voices.

The next Grand Council will convene at Vallejo early next September.

Woodmen of the World.

The Woodmen of the World is making a wonderful growth. The head camp, which is located at Denver, Col., reports that during the past month more than one thousand new applications have been received.

Oakland Camp No 94, which meets every Monday evening at Fraternal hall, No. 1156 Washington street, is contributing her share of this new growth of Woodmen, having received over fifty applications in the last few weeks.

The same can be said of all the camps in this and San Francisco counties.

The Woodmen also deserve great credit for the part they took in making the Fourth of July celebration long to be remembered. Their float, drawn by six fine gray horses, represented a forest filled with choppers felling the mighty minards of the hills and plains while the members of the several camps followed the float wearing large straw hats and carrying the emblem of the craft, an ax Every now and then one could hear from the choppers while at work in the forest these words:

"Gather in the timbers, boys, from forest and from plain,
Gather in the perfect, let the crooked ones remain;
Only those are welcome who have muscle, brawn and brain,
Under the banner of Woodcraft," etc., etc.

Last Monday evening the officers-elect of Oakland Camp No. 94 were installed by Past Consul Commander T. F. Gray, of Cypress Camp No. 14, of Haywards.

The officers installed were: Consul Commander, T. I. Boak, advisor, J. B. Greer; escort, E T. Taylor; manager, C E. Trow; watchman, H. J. McKim; sentry, T. Stark.

The attendance was large and the programme was much enjoyed.

Next Monday evening Oakland Camp expects to initiate about a dozen new members.

The story goes that Patti and Melba have been indulging in quiet personalities in London. The town has been going wild over Patti and this inspired Melba to say: "Well, she ought to be a good singer; she has had sufficient practice. Didn't the great Duke of Wellington admire her very much?" But Patti, the story runs, merely smiled when she heard this and said: "I will not say anything nasty in reply lest it hurt the feelings of Melba's grandchildren." As Melba has a daughter 20 years of age, it is hinted that the less she says about Patti's age the better.

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THE TALE OF THE ELKS.

How the Order Was First Brought to the Coast.

Many Celebrated Californians Were in the Pioneer Lodge.

There is no class of people who take more pleasure in life, in social converse, in appreciating artistic merit and meeting round the festive board than do the members of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks. Their pleasures are heartfelt, all the more so if they can be rendered enjoyable to those whom the Elks honor as their guests. With this keen enjoyment of life, the Elks are not less sensible of suffering and want and the other ills that flesh is heir to. In such instances, the first instinct of the member of this notable order is to afford relief. But that relief is given without ostentation The world rolls on ignorant of the manner in which some of its more unfortunate people are saved from despair and again enabled to enter the combat of life. It may be that the assistance rendered but gently paves the way to the tomb, but, even there, the true member of the order is to be found bidding a farewell to his absent brother.

No order more strongly appeals to the sentiment and the appreciation of the man of the world than that of the Elks. This fact is established by the character, the standing and accomplishments of its members, not less in this community than elsewhere throughout the country wherever a lodge may be located. And yet it may be that few even of the order's most devoted members know the gradations by which the order has attained the present exalted position. Fewer still, perhaps, know how it was transplanted to the golden sands of the Pacific from the other extremity of the country. And yet this has been accomplished in less than half years of a man of middle age. For this reason the history is an interesting one, because it recalls the names of many who, though "lost to sight, are yet to memory dear."

The third lodge of the order of Elks was established in San Francisco, mainly through the enthusiasm of Leslie Blackburn of this city. That was accomplished in 1874. At that time Mr. Blackburn was a resident of San Francisco, with a penchant for taking a couple of trips each year to the Atlantic coast. He was a great admirer of the dramatic lights of the time, and, indeed, California was then ablaze, so to speak, with dramatic genius.

At its inception the order of Elks was intended as an organization for the purpose of mutual aid and cultivating sociability among actors. Mr Blackburn regretted that there was no lodge of the order on the coast, and went to New York for the purpose of endeavoring to get permission to establish a lodge in San Francisco. That was in June, 1873. At that time there were but two lodges in the country. The lodge in New York was styled No 1, Philadelphia No 2, and these constituted the grand lodge. Mr. Blackburn was admitted to membership in New York lodge, taking both degrees in one night, although there is a legend handed down during the intermittent years that the goat never survived his riding. He worked hard with the grand lodge to have a branch established in San Francisco, but that august body thought that there should first be found out here at least seven elders before the required permission would be given. This fact was set forth in the following historical document in the shape of a report of the committee to whom was referred the request of Mr Blackburn, signed by the members, T. A Phillips, Robert S. Mar in and Henry P O'Neill, and attested by the seal of the grand lodge and the signature of J. C. Pinckney, exalted grand ruler, and Wm. Coffin, grand secretary, which Mr. Blackburn now holds:

"Your committee respectfully report that they have carefully considered the matter and recommend that the charter be granted immediately; that it be placed in the hands of Brother W. H. Smith, of New York, lodge No. 1, but that no action be taken thereon by him until such time as there shall have been seven regularly admitted brothers of the second degree resident in San Francisco."

This document was forwarded to San Francisco, but seven members could not then be found in that city."

There was a delay, and, in the latter part of 1874, Mr. Blackburn again went to New York and succeeded in inducing the grand lodge to agree to the institution of a San Francisco lodge provided three members could be found in the California metropolis

Mr. Blackburn returned, found the members of the order in Fayette Welch, since dead; Charles Coghill, the great song and dance artist, now in Australia; and Nelson Decker, the organizer of the California Theater Stock Company. These three, with Mr. Blackburn, were members of New York lodge, and all of them asked for and received their demits, and then formed California lodge No. 3, B. P. O. E., being just about able to fill the chairs.

The new lodge was acting under dispensation of the grand lodge. It met every Tuesday afternoon in Anthony's hall, on Bush street, and for three months it continued to receive members. Mr. Blackburn was the first to act as exalted ruler, and the first man he conferred the degrees upon was Thomas W. Keene, the tragedian of today and distinguished then as the leading member of the stock company at the California theater, which was under the management of John McCullough.

At length the grand lodge granted California lodge a charter and the document was brought to the coast by Frank Girard, who was made district deputy grand exalted ruler. The first election held under the charter resulted in the selection of Tom Keene as exalted ruler; Nelson Decker, esteemed leading knight, Leslie F. Blackburn, esteemed loyal knight; D. C Anderson, the distinguished actor of that day, lecturing knight; Fayette Welch, inner guard, and Murray Woods, tyler.

The lodge prospered. New names were enrolled. Socials were held. Balls were given, at which the wealth, beauty and fashion of the time attended, and those who came in with the purview of the order's beneficence had occasion to remember its liberality. There was no order that was better known in San Francisco than the Elks, so much so that when on October 15th, 1876, the first annual benefit took place the Grand Opera House was packed from pit to dome. General admission was $1 and private boxes commanded $12.

The proceeds of the entertainment were $2,000. The programme was a varied one, including H. J. Byron's sensational drama, "Lancashire Lass." This piece was followed by an olio.

There appeared in the melo-drama, "by the permission of John McCullough," C.B.Bishop, Tom Keene, Nelson Decker, Murray Woods, R. Donaruma, H. Bradley, Miss Ellie Wilton and Miss Carrie Wyatt; "by the permission," as the bills said, "of Tom Maguire," M. A. Kennedy, John Jack, A. D. Billings, F. Kilday, Eleanor Carey; "by the permission of M. J. McDonald," Charles Edmonds; "by the permission of S. Tetlow," W. C. Crosbie, Signor Tagliapietra, Alice Harrison, Cogill and Cooper, Baby McDonald, Mons. Alfred Perrier, Johnny De Angelis, Bree and Stanwood and J. H. Larkin and Carrie Armstrong.

At the close of the performance all the members of the order appeared on the stage and sang "Auld Lang Syne" to the accompaniment of the large orchestra, the immense audience joining in the chorus.

The first member of the order to die was C. F. McIntyre, whose demise took place at Sacramento. A large delegation of the order went to the capital city and escorted the remains to Anthony's hall on Bush street, where the funeral exercises were held.

The place was thronged by the most distinguished people of the time and everything was on a scale of completeness, showing the esteem in which the deceased brother had been held, and which has been characteristic of the order up to the present time.

The eulogy was delivered by Tom Keene. It was an eloquent effort, and was delivered with all the grace and fervor and effect of the polished elocutionist. The remains were borne to Lone Mountain, the pall-bearers being Leslie Blackburn, W. Courtright, Nelson Decker, John Rittigan, J. Condon, M. Woods, J. Cogill, W. Lipals.

The order continued to flourish, and finally lodge No. 12 was organized in San Francisco. Later No. 3 and No. 12 were merged, and now the lodge in San Francisco is known as No. 6.

OAKLAND LODGE, B. P. O. E.

In course of time the order was extended to this city, and it may be within the province of the writer at some time later to give a few rambling reflections as to how the home organization has attained its present standing.

Oakland lodge gives a grand social session tonight, at which a pleasant time is promised.

The bronze elk, intended to mark Elks' rest in Mt. View cemetery has been cast and will shortly be put in place.

TREATMENT OF TEETH.

The Dental Association Is Making Good Researches.

At the session of the California State Association in San Francisco "Surgical Treatment of Ulcerated Teeth" was the subject of a paper by Dr. Parsons of San Diego.

Dr. Russell H. Cool of this city opened the discussion on the subject by saying that he thought there is room for hope that the improvement in this branch of dentistry would continue, so that such a thing as the loss of a tooth from these causes would not be possible. Dr. Cool referred to the introduction of the use of lactic acid by Dr. Younger, who continued the discussion.

Dr Marian Crale, of this city, who has been practicing for five years, made application for membership in the association. She will be the second woman who has been admitted to fellowship in the organization the first one being Miss McElroy, a niece of Warden Hale of San Quentin.

DAINTIEST OF ALL REPTILES.

Prohibition State Turns Out the Snake Story of the Season.

J W. Miller, a farmer of Harvey county, Kan., has lost eight cows during the past six weeks as the result of the strange freaks of bull snakes. Mr. Miller was at a loss to account for this state of affairs, and after he had lost eight cows he spent a day with the animals to watch developments. He was rewarded with the strangest sight he had ever witnessed. A monster bull snake, eight feet in length, appeared in the pasture, and, raising itself to the udder of the cow, grasped the teat with its mouth and sucked out the milk. When it had satisfied its hunger it dropped off. Mr. Miller killed this and five other large bull snakes which he found in his pasture, and since that time his cows have not been troubled.

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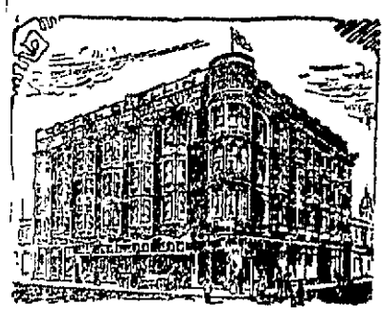

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CONFIDENCE IS COMING.

A Better Feeling Noticed in the Eastern Marts.

Big Advances Are Now Anticipated After the Harvest Season.

(Special Correspondence to The Tribune.)
New York, July 6, 1895.

The Stock market has entered upon a distinctly new stage, now not so far as respects the main underlying conditions—in which there is no change—but in respect to the current speculative attitude and tactics of operators. The triumphant "bull" campaign of the last three months has brought about a new situation. Prices have risen to a pitch that surprises even the most sanguine, and "bull" operators have made extraordinary profits. Among conservative speculators, there is a feeling that prices are now, as a rule, up to what the immediate facts of the situation warrant. It is conceded that the general drift of the conditions that control values suggests the expectation of a further advance when the harvest has been gathered and its beneficial aftereffects upon trade begin to appear.

But between now and then there is an interval of some weeks, during which possibly no influential developments may be forthcoming. As a matter of speculative tactics, it appears desirable, to professional speculators, that this interval might well be used for the purpose of realizing profits on strong rallies and thereby laying the basis for repurchases at a later stage, with a view to a new upward movement in the fall. Also, the presence of operators on the summer vacations is encouraging to this sort of attitude.

It is not to be supposed that the "bears" will allow the opportunity to pass unimproved. A long experience of conditions adverse to their side has made them impatient for an opportunity for attack and it is not likely they will permit the partial lull in "bull" activity to go unappropriated for their benefit. We do not undertake to say how far they will venture in making reprisals on the reposing "bulls" nor how far the "bulls" are likely to realiate. Our judgement is that the pessimists are likely to prove cautious, and that the optimists will not be found willing to part with any considerable amount of stock at much lower prices. Nevertheless, the "bears" may be expected to do their best, for the early future, to test the market at what they conceive to be its weak points, as much perhaps from a mere spirit of fight as from any strong hope of making a distinct impression on prices. The late fierce attack on the industrials and the attempts to stiffen the rates of foreign exchange are a part of these tactics, the failure of the break in the industrials to break the railroad list is a sample, however of the sort of result the "bears" may expect from all such movements.

But while immediate conditions seem to favor a temporary lull in the larger speculative operations, it is not impossible that events now at hand may revive the buying movement sooner than is now anticipated. The reconstruction proceedings in the Burlington railroads are now making rapid progress, and announcements may be forthcoming at any moment which could create a new excitement and bring into the market a mass of stocks that have been tied up pending these re-adjustments.

Moreover, the corn crop has possibilities of yielding a very important element in the value of the stocks of roads serving the great corn belt. Should the crop maintain its present promise to the end of the season it will prove a very valuable help towards the more complete revival of business throughout the country. To sum up the matter while the position of affairs at the moment seems to tend towards a temporary lull in speculation and possibly to moderate fluctuations in prices, yet this position may quite possibly change for a revival of "bull" activity.

London is no longer a leading factor. That market perceives that New York is now capable of taking care of itself and of the foreign markets at the same time. It sees that a great confidence has taken hold upon our people, that power commands the confidence of London; and Europe may therefore be expected to follow the drift of our home market rather than antagonize it so long as it tends to increase profits upon foreign holdings.

HENRY CLEWS

AS OTHERS SEE US.

For the past six years at intervals the orthodox ministers of San Francisco and Oakland have been making attacks upon Professor Joseph Le Conte of the State University upon the subject of Evolution, the ministers claiming Professor Le Conte's doctrine of evolution was leading the students into hopeless heterodoxy. The Professor has not noticed many of the arrows that have been shot at him, consequently they fell to the ground without doing any harm. Those whom he did notice and answer, however retired from the controversy badly wounded. At that during the course of his remarks Professor Le Conte said that evolution was as firmly established a scientific fact as the law of gravitation. Now the Rev. V. Marshall Law, rector of the Church of the Advent of East Oakland has attacked the Professor, who is absent in Denver. The reverend gentleman, in his attack, steers clear of anything Le Conte has said, and makes no argument himself. We do not believe that Professor Le Conte will pay any attention to Mr. Law but if he does he will flay him with Mr. Law's own argument.—Berkeley Gazette.

W. J. Dingee the well-known real estate agent and President of the Oakland Water Works Company, is one of about a hundred heirs who expect to come into possession of the estate of Samuel Dingee, deceased, of Westchester, New York, valued at about $90,000,000. Mr. Dingee is a nephew of deceased. He expects that the contest over the estate will assume a national interest, as claimants live in all parts of the United States.—Alameda Encinal.

It was a treat which we fear was not truly appreciated—the poem written by Miss Ina D. Coolbrith and read by her at the Fourth of July celebration in Oakland. California has produced some very sweet singers, but almost always they have had to go away to find ears that could properly appreciate their melody. —Alameda Argus.

An East Oakland clergyman disagrees with Professor Le Conte. So have several other people, but Le Conte still pursues the even tenor of his way.—Berkeley Dispatch.

The present squabble among the members of Oakland's government will enable its citizens to feel the shame which was felt by Berkeleyites under the late regime.—Berkeley Dispatch.

Director Wills at this point (Board of Education meeting) sent to the clerk's desk a communication signed by Miss E. A. Packard, in which the lady withdrew her application for reappointment in the local schools, she having accepted a position in the Oakland High School. Miss Packard has been connected with the schools of this city for a period of ten years, and she leaves because she had been unable to obtain from the teachers' committee of the board an assurance that she would be reappointed.—Los Angeles Herald.

About 500 pounds of the Holy Terror rock was so rich in gold that it was shipped direct to the mint from the Adams Express office at Hill City, S. D.

DARING CATTLE THIEVES.

An Organized Gang Is Plying in the North-West.

Indications That the Settlers Are About to Tackle Them.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, July 11.—A dispatch from Chamoerlain, S. D., says:

A lawless state of affairs exists in the north central portion of Nebraska and the adjacent territory in South Dakota, and only the most vigorous measures on the part of the authorities will remedy many of the evils existing.

For years the country between Lyman county, directly west of here, and Holt and Keyapaha counties, Neb., has been infested by what appears to be an organized gang of cattle and horse thieves.

Enough has been learned to make it a certainty that this band has convenient rendezvous at various points through the fifty or sixty miles of territory where it operates.

Cattle and horses that stray toward White river disappear with great regularity, as also do cattle and horses belonging to farmers and stockmen residing throughout that portion of South Dakota.

This leads to the conclusion that the thieves take the stock stolen from South Dakota farmers and ranchmen and dispose of them to the settlers in Nebraska.

Certain residents of the infested region who have no visible means of support are suspected of being in league with the thieves, but no positive evidence has as yet been secured against them.

Gangs of horse and cattle thieves have been practically wiped out of existence on several occasions in Northern Nebraska and Southern South Dakota during the last twenty years by the enraged settlers, and there are indications that the same effective measures will be resorted to again.

THE DAYS WERE BRIGHT.

The Monthly Weather Review From the State University.

The statement of the meteorological department of the State university for June shows there were 21 clear, 5 fair and 4 cloudy days last month. The mean temperature of the month was 59 deg. 3 min. The warmest day was the 18th and the temperature was 90 deg. There was no rain during the month. The total raintall during the season was 39.608 inches.

ENTERPRISE PAYS.

Oakland Can Take Some Good Lessons From Stockton.

At the meeting of the Fourth of July Committee of Arrangements last night, Mayor Davie and Mayor Baggs of Stockton were present, the latter as the guest of Mayor Davie. Mayor Baggs spoke about the success of the recent Fourth of July celebration here as also of that which was held in Stockton. He then told of the progress Stockton is making, the encouragement it has given the San Joaquin Valley road and the benefits it expects to derive from the construction of the Coast Valley line.

Mayor Davie said it would pay to send the City Council to Stockton on a thirty day's visit, where there are to be seen 2000 or 3000 feet of warehouses. He said he wanted the Merchants' Exchange to call a mass meeting and demand that the City Council rescind the ordinance it passed recently granting to J. P. Taylor permission to erect coal bunkers on the wharf at the foot of Franklin street.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

DEEDS.

THURSDAY, JULY 11, 1895.

Elizabeth Daisley to John Daisley, S 19th st, 125, W Grove W 32.6 x S 107.6, blk A, Grove st. Hd.; $10.

H. B. Houghton to Mary A. and Isabella Nicol, SE 34th and Adeline E 40 x S 100, being portion lot 6, blk 576, Watts tract, map 2; $10.

William H. Graham to Maggie A. Graham, lots 11 and 12, Piedmont Villa tract, being portion plot 19, Ro V. and D. Peralta; gift.

Charles P. and Julia Weld to Mary B. Johnson, S Ward st, 100, E Lowell E 25 x S 135, being lot 4, blk 31, resub Smith's sub, Mathews tract; $10.

Christopher C. Wedd to Augusta Dobrzensky, lot 14, blk 12, Central Park at Alcatraz and Newbury station; $10.

F. N. Wood to L. Clinton, lot 23, blk 14, College Hd. tract; QCD; $10.

Elizabeth Mack, wife of Albert, to Josephine M. Bong, S Forest av 307.6, E Center st. E 61.6 x S 102.5, being lot 17, blk D, Berkeley Hd. Assn.; $10.

Gertrude B. Wurts to same, S Forest av, 430.6, E Center st, E 61.6 x S 102.5, lot 15, blk D, Berkeley Hd. Assn.; $10.

Ingar and Henry C. Ingram to James A. and Sarah J. Crosby, commencing at a stake in center of Osgood av, at N corner 10 acre tract of Ingram, thence SE 105.6 ft, thence SW 7.93 chains, thence NW 105.6 feet, thence NE 7.92 chains to beginning, containing 1.32 acres, portion lot 15, map of plots 1 to 52, and blks A to E, La Societe Francaise, lands etc., Irvington; $5.

Francis and Elizabeth D. Ferrier to J. Greenhood, E Hollis st, 22.., S Yerba Buena av, E 125, S 178.5, W 125, N 185.8 to beginning, lots 8, 9, and 10, blk 14, in plot 6, Ro V. and D. Peralta, $10.

Michele Contini, et al., to J. Mitchell and S. H. Steward, N 5th st, 75, W Grove W 37.6 x N 100, being lot 23 and E ½ lot 24, blk 50; grant.

William and Anna E. Holze to A. W. Cornelius, W West 40.2, N Lydia N 40.2 x W 100, being portion lots 7 and 8, blk G, Curtis and Williams tract; $10.

E. M. and Belle Heller to Ella G. Joyce, N 20th st, 293 1-4, W 23d av, W 30 x N 150, being portion lot 2, blk D, sub. 50, Associates tract; $10.

D. C. Campbell to Mary G. Blodgett, SE 19th av, 60, SW E 16th st, SW 40 x SE 75, being portion lots 22, 23, and 24, blk 21, San Antonio, subject to a mortgage, $10.

Manuel M. Ayala to G. A. Stevens, 1.41 acres beginning at SE corner residence property Francisco Galindo, dec'd in W line Telegraph av., thence SW 210.53, NW 215.50, NW 303.42, SE 368.17 to beginning, being portion plot 94, Ro V. and D. Peralta; $10.

G. A. and Fannie L. Stevens to Edward C. Dozier, same; $10.

Charles A. and Alice C. Bailey to Robert B. Moorehead, N Ashby av, 220, W Newbury st, W 40 x N 100, being the E ½ lot 2, and W ½ lot 3, blk A, Adeline tract, $5.

Charles L. and Lilly F. Tilden to Ruth A. Armstrong, N Bancroft Way 100, E Choate st, E 60 x N 120, being portion Hillegass tract N of Bancroft Way; $1800.

M. J. and Annie F. Wallace to Mary Courtney, N San Antonio av, 200, W Willow st, W 50 x N 150, being lot 5 in E ½ blk G, lands adjacent to Encinal; $10.

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PERKINS OUT FOR IT.

Senator Dolph's Committee is Greatly in Demand.

It Is a Matter of Considerable Importance to the Coast.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, July 11.—There promises to be quite a contest among the Republican members of the Senate from the Pacific coast states for the position on the committee on commerce which has heretofore been filled by Senator Dolph of Oregon.

It is understood that Senators Perkins of California, McBride of Oregon and Squire of Washington would each like to secure the appointment, while Senator Wilson of Washington would accept the position if tendered him and Senator Mitchell of Oregon might take it under certain conditions.

The place is considered one of special importance as the committee deals with all questions of commerce which come before the Senate and acts in an advisory capacity to the appropriations committee in recommending appropriations for river and harbor improvements.

There are naturally many places along the Pacific coast from Puget sound to the Mexican border which seek preference at the hands of Congress and the rivalry between them is quite sharp.

The possibility of the extension of the trade of the United States with oriental countries also enhances the importance of the appointment at this time in the eyes of the Western men.

Being the oldest senator of the five mentioned and coming from the same state that Senator Dolph represented, Senator Mitchell could probably secure the position if disposed to accept it at the sacrifice of some other important committee assignment.

He occupies a peculiarly commanding position on the Senate committees, standing as he does at the head of the Republican representation on the committees on claims, postoffices and privileges and elections.

In case of the organization of the Senate by the Republicans he will naturally be assigned to the chairmanship of his choice of those committees and will hold his position next to the chairman on the other two unless he voluntarily resigns to accept a position on some other committee like commerce, of which he is not now a member. He will probably not make this transfer.

It is understood among his colleagues that he would prefer to allow his own assignments to remain as they are if he could secure the appointment of his colleague, Mr. McBride, to the commerce vacancy.

He realizes, however, that it will be difficult to secure for a new member an assignment of the importance of this and one which is sought by older senators.

Senator Perkins will be met with the objections that Senator White of his own state is now a member of the committee.

Mr. Wilson of Washington is not a candidate in the ordinary sense, but some of his friends are urging his fitness for the place.

The same objections which apply in Mr. McBride's case would hold in Mr. Wilson's. The latter would enjoy a slight advantage from the circumstances of having served in the House before his election to the Senate.

At present, therefore the chances seem most favorable to Senator Squire's candidacy.

The selection would depend on the turn affairs may take at the beginning of the next session, and it is impossible to foretell to whom the assignment will go.

There is very little or no doubt, however, that some one of the Pacific coast senators will be appointed to the place.

MANNION RETURNS.

The Fugitive Druggist Writes to a Friend From Sacramento.

Hugh F. Mannion, who startled his friends by disappearing some weeks ago with Miss Kate Winslow, whom he inveigled through mock marriage into departing with him, has been located in Sacramento. He deserted his quondam bride, and learning of a warrant for his arrest, failed to come back to Oakland.

He has written that he does not propose to return. Mrs Mannion, his deserted wife, says: "That man has cost me at least $20,000. I sold my home to start him in business and he ran through with the money. Two years ago he went off with $600 of my son's money and stayed in Mexico until it was all gone; then he returned home and was so penitent that I forgave him and let the matter drop. I hope he will yet do the State good work in the rock quarry at Folsom.

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LOCATIONS FOR FARMS.

A Committee of Seven Is to Represent the West.

There Is to Be a Permanen Exhibit at Chicago.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, July 11.—At last night's session of the Western Society Dr. John Rusk said he was constantly beseiged by members of his church and other churches who desired information regarding wise locations for farms. This he was unable to furnish and he considered the establishment of a bureau by the society would do good.

It was decided to place the matter in the hands of a committee. The following resolution was adopted accordingly:

"Resolved, That a committee on exhibition and literature consisting of seven members, representing the various sections of the West, be appointed by the chair and that the duty of said committee shall be to obtain as far as possible an exhibit and support from each of the Western states, and gather statistics and material necessary for the preparation of descriptive literature."

The following were appointed: Col. Whyte S. Merry, director of the Agricultural college, Bozeman, Mont.; G. Q. Cannon, president Mormon church, Salt Lake; George R. Buckman, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, Colorado Springs; D. S. Willard, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce of Los Angeles, and G. E. Gilting, secretary of the National Colonial Club.

This committee will begin the preparation of plans at once for the establishment of a permanent Western exhibit in Chicago.

Buchanan was a bad man. He deserved the punishment he received, and it was necessary to the public safety that he should suffer it. But the devotion shown by his wife, who up to the very hour of execution exerted herself tirelessly to save him, deserves and commands the admiration and sympathy of every right-minded man. In the love of women we have the only absolutely unreasoning and unselfish thing in the world.—N. Y. World.

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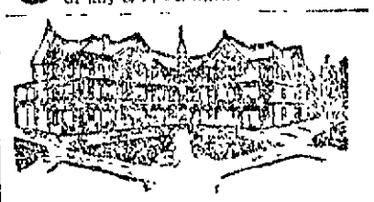

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Special Correspondence of The Tribune.

PARIS, June 22.—The Kiel rejoicings ought to please everyone—even Bismarck, who has again retired, Achilles-like, under his tent. Evidently there is no doing with Germany's G. O. M. Kiel has forced the fact that an orthodox working alliance, for better or for worse, does exist between Russia and France. Perhaps the publication of the bans of the secret marriage became necessary to allay the national discontent at the French fleet being sent to Kiel.

There was a time when such glad tidings of great joy would have provoked flag decorations and illuminations; but these manifestations have not been indulged in. Is there a rift in the lute? Alsace is heart-sorrowed at French sailors going to Kiel, even sailing abreast with the Russian ships, into the harbor to do "Koch" with the conqueror of 1870. But Alsatians ought to remember they have now a big brother on their side. What will or can he do for them?

The triple allies must be delighted to see publicly admitted their vis-a-vis coalition. England is unpledged; however, it may be concluded she knows on which side her bread is buttered. But, what is apparently overlooked, England has the moral support of the United States, the only power that could seriously embarrass her, on account of her policy in Armenia and declining to manacle the expansion of Japan. Until the lights are shed in the banquet halls of Kiel and the honeymoon of the formal declaration of the alliance between France and Russia over, diplomacy will not actively enter into the scene. France and Russia are today where they were yesterday, save that they have given England the excuse, the opportunity to join the triple alliance when the occasion comes. Even united France and Russia cannot command the diplomatic sun to stand still—if they be in a hurry the consequences will be disastrous.

Until the price of Russia's help to China be known the far east question must remain in statu quo. Invading a country by railways may prove as inconvenient as over-running it with troops. A railway may turn out to be a fin de siecle name for a coaling station. A coalition was formed to restrain Japan from occupying Port Arthur, and another coalition can be formed to prevent Russia effecting for herself what she refused to Japan.

CARNOT'S ANNIVERSARY.

It is already a twelvemonth since M. Carnot was assassinated. He gave his last official dinner at the Elysee on the 20th June, 1894 and really never was happier; in his chronicly grave smile there was less gravity. At the moment he was welcoming his guests the assassin that was to take his life four days later was bargaining the price of the fatal dagger.

The Republic will keep the anniversary of Carnot's death a red-letter day in its calendar by a political ceremony in the Pantheon, where the remains repose, and an in memoriam mass at the Madeline for those who wish to join in the prayers. Such events ought to be kept green in the souls of nations. It is denied—but that may be true later on, since the young people are "deeply attached to each other," that M. Carnot's second son, a captain, is to be married to the wealthy Jewess, Mdlle. Lazard, whose father is a banker and merchant. Thus would be illustrated the late President's solution for the Israelitish question in France, marriages between Christians and Jews.

A TEMPERANCE MOVE.

Deputy Reinach has brought in his local veto bill. It may be said at once that it has no chance of ever becoming law. The small temperance party support it, but they are not either an organized or a powerful body, such as the anti-alcohol in England and America. Again as a rule the French are a very sober people, though not as much so as they were before 1870-71.

The working classes save their money and do not squander it in drink; and the wives, when they have the upper hand, and the social solution of France largely depends upon petticoat government, will never allow the wages earned to leak away in "beverages." After all the working classes do not drink to become sponges, but they pass too much of their time in the wine shops, and will make a glass of something do duty for a whole evening. In the daytime the workmen have "halts" besides meal hours, during which they run for 20 minutes to the nearest pub, and five or six club to have a bottle of wine, which means two sous each. But during hours of labor they never touch brandy or absinthe, and beer is too dear.

The Reinach bill would strike at national modes of life. There are two classes of beverage centers, the cafe and the eating house or restaurant, from its initial form the gargote, where food in every abominable form is to be obtained, and in comparison with which the cats' meat of London is a dainty dish. In the cafe the clients, no matter how humble, enter and are attentively served. Naturally the workers prefer cafes suited to their condition. Several of these are fitted up with six or twelve billiard tables, and have cards, backgammon, chess, draughts, dominoe, etc. Rarely newspapers are provided, but every person has his 1 sou paper, the journal of his choice and he never reads a second. Now the most infallible test of trade, etc., being brisk is when the billi and tables are well patronized, when their green cloth remains under the hall and the workers are doing short commons, which implies frugality, not drinking.

It is with the traiteur, and humble, but higher class of eating house, that most of the drink mischief is done. There the worker, if unmarried, invariably takes his meals, and is certain to have a running account with the house that will give him credit when out of work. He drinks naturally and more so when in sorrow; it is then he seeks consolation in that "fairy with the green eyes"—absinthe. It is a most seductive drink, but once it captures, the siren never lets go her victims. It is also unfortunately very cheap and infamously adulterated. Nearly all classes drink absinthe now. Thirty years ago it was taken on the sly, en cachette, just as one peruses a naughty novel. It is a fatal present made by Algeria to Continetal France, as absinthe was the sole "pick-me-up" the officers found to be an antidote against the deliquescent character of the colonial climate. There is a wide field for humane intervention by preventing the adulteration of drinks, which in the aggregate are all poisonous compounds. It is authoritatively demonstrated that the cognac sold to the rag picker and the "nip" supplied at twelve times the price are the same.

The alcohol is adulterated, and that is the base of all the drinks in the country. Hence the importance of the project now under discussion, the monopolizing by the State of the distilleries, like the manufacture of tobacco stamps, etc., and produce a uniform and pure type of convertible brandy at a cheaper price, while quadrupling the duty, etc. By this means the public health would be saved and an immediate augmentation of 800,000,000 francs annually secured for the revenue

Every seller of drink has his laboratory, or blending cellar, where chemical miracles are performed. The workman's taste demands a beverage that will titillate his palate and rasp his throat. When the insurgents in the 1848 Revolution invaded the Tuileries, they broke into Louis Philippe's wine cellar, reputed to have the greatest collection of delicate brands in France. His Majesty kept the key himself, and the greatest compliment he could pay a guest at the royal table was to personally go to the cellar and bring up a well cobwebbed bottle. He was homely, so was the Queen, who darned her son's stockings

And what did the insurgents with the delicate wines? Pronounce them to be atrocious; knocked in the heads of the casks smashed the bottles and commanded "genuine wines" from the neighboring rum holes The Ministry aims to abolish all duties on beer, cider, wine and "food" beverages making their cost so cheap as to render adulterating unremunerative.

To limit the number of dram shops is impossible; there are no licenses required for the sale of liquors; trades are taxed according to the volume and importance of their business and rent—the articles sold are not considered Hence, why the coalman sells wine—and not the worst beer or hogwash liquors, whose composition may only be known at the Day of Judgment, newspapers, vegetables and poultry.

THE SEASON LINGERS.

Paris is not thinning as was altherto her wont, after the Grand Prix; even fashionables have become more commonsenable. It is only at the close of next month that the real exodus will commence by the breaking up of the schools. No showy seaside resorts are in favor; some declare them to be simply cosmopolitan centers of disease spores, so retired or out of the way localities or nooks are selected.

The truth, however, is that people have not the means to indulge in splashes and dashes. By the reduction of 1 per cent in the interest in stocks thousands have had their incomes reduced 20 per cent—and that is no joking matter for families daily engaged in the problem of how to make both ends meet. And it is here the best elements in the French character show. The French, as a rule, do not live to keep up appearances They will tell you they have to practice economy and they will do so; at the cafe they will put two, instead of three, of the uniform four lumps of sugar in their cup of coffee, and the other two in their pocket, they will reduce the tip to the waiter—a noble resolution—50 per cent by giving one sou instead of two; they will club to subscribe for a daily paper where formerly they ventured on a sheet for themselves; they now find omnibuses superior to cabs, and one bottle of wine must do duty for two days. The principle of thus taking in sail is admirable, only it is not applied to the taxation of the country.

Where it can be accomplished, families or relatives will renounce housekeeping and meal with some member who will organize for them a private table d'hote, hence fewer servants and saving of market pennies. Does this evolution explain why the Prime Minister has abandoned his project for taxing domestics? The shop keepers who had their villa summer home in the suburbs either sell it, if they can, close it, if they must, or let some of the rooms. They come to town in the cheaper tram-car, and try a lower grade railway compartment Their greater importance and veneration are attached to old clothes. Even in sport ambition is moderated; the citizen will angle in the Seine, which costs nothing, and where he catches about as much, instead of having his license and three days out in September to blaze away at partridges over a district where the poachers have saved him all anxiety about the birds.

A part-perspective view of the entrance facade of the 1900 exhibition has been published for the use of the general commission, to work the money side of the question There is not a particle of enthusiasm over the birds-eye view; indeed, the French at the present moment have no gush for anything; not even for the Russian alliance. In exhibition architecture originality has been played out. Vastness is made to mark the absence of beauty. Parisians are not able to grasp the promised advantages, making a great hole for the new cross avenue on the site of the Palace of Industry. Some Anglo-Americans are, however, satisfied, as they applied for a site for a monster hotel.

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Reserve and Contingent Fund,	151,461 48
Deposits, Jan. 1, 1895, -	4,808,528 40

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Deposits Dec. 31, 1894,	3,011,855 84

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PROPOSALS FOR SUPPLIES.

—FOR THE—
COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

REQUIRED BY THE VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS OF THE COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Board of Supervisors of Alameda county at the board rooms in the annex to the Hall of Records in the city of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, until 12 o'clock M., on Monday, July 15, 1895, (at which time and place they will be opened in the presence of the bidders) for furnishing and delivering at such times and in such places and in such quantities as may be required, supplies for the Alameda County Infirmary, the various departments of the County Government, Hall of Records, at the County Jail and Receiving Hospital of the County of Alameda, consisting of fish, drugs and medicines, stationery, etc., and other staple supplies, from date of contract to June 30th, 1896, inclusive, as per specifications and provisions of schedules to be furnished by the Clerk of this Board, adopted by this Board this day, and according to the conditions and requirements of such schedules contained. The County of Alameda, through the Board of Supervisors, reserves the right to use in the several departments of the County Government greater or less quantities than enumerated in the proposals and schedules should the public interests so require, and to accept the lowest bid on each article of each class.

The Board of Supervisors also in considering said bids reserves the right to accept or reject all or any of them or accept a part of any bid or proposal presented. Samples of all staple articles are to be presented for examination by the Board of Supervisors at the board room, the same to be properly marked with name of bidder and schedule number.

All supplies and materials furnished to be subject to the approval of the department ordering the same and to the satisfaction of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda county. No bid will be considered unless made upon said schedules nor unless accompanied by certified check payable to the order of Frank C. Jordan clerk of the Board of Supervisors, certified to by some responsible bank for an amount which shall not be less than 20 per cent of the aggregate amount of the proposal or proposals which accompanies. Said check to be forfeited to the County of Alameda, as agreed and liquidated damages, should the party or parties to whom the contract shall be awarded fail to enter into the contract within ten (10) days after the award, or fail to give a bond required by the Board for the faithful performance of the contract. Payment for all supplies will be made in the manner prescribed by the Legislature of the State of California. All bids must be inclosed in sealed envelopes, addressed to the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, and be indorsed on the envelopes furnished by the Clerk, "Proposals for furnishing supplies for the County of Alameda required by the various departments of the County Government," giving the general name and number as on the schedules or as otherwise provided in schedules

Dated, July 1, 1895.

HIRAM BAILEY,
Chairman Board of Supervisors Alameda County, California.
(Seal) Frank C. Jordan, Clerk.

County Board of Equalization.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS OF ALAMEDA COUNTY.

Office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, California.

Public notice is hereby given that the assessment rolls of the fiscal year 1895 of Alameda county, California, have been completed and delivered to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of said county and that the same will be open for inspection at the said Clerk's office in the annex to the Hall of Records in the City of Oakland, from 9 o'clock A. M. to 5 o'clock P. M. every day except Sunday.

Notice is also given that the Board of Supervisors of said county sat as a County Board of Equalization on Monday, July 1st, 1895, and adjourned until Saturday, July 6th, 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day from and after which time they will continue in session from time to time until the business of equalization is disposed of and said Board will not sit later than Monday, July 15th, 1895.

Application for reduction or correction of assessment must be made in writing duly verified by the oath of the property owner or a duly authorized agent. Blanks for application for reduction or increase of assessment may be obtained at said Clerk's office.

By order of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda county, California.

FRANK C JORDAN, Clerk.
Dated, Oakland, July 1st, 1895.

PROBATE NOTICE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Mary Newland, deceased.

Notice of the time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Mary Newland, deceased, and for the issuance to Martha Newland, of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this court, and that Monday, the 22d day of July, A. D. 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the court room of Department No. 1, of said court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in the County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, July 6th, 1895.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. ADAMS, Deputy Clerk.
Dodge & Fry, attorneys for petitioner, 906 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

PROBATE NOTICE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of William R. Barron, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of William R. Barron, deceased, and for the issuance to Mary F. Barron of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this court, and that Monday, the 1st day of July, A. D. 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the courtroom of department No. 1, of said court, at the Court house in the City of Oakland, in the County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, June 15th, 1895.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. ADAMS, Deputy Clerk.

Alameda County Land Company.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Alameda County Land Company, of Oakland, California, will be held at 1101 Broadway street, in the City of Oakland, State of California, on Wednesday, the 24th day of July, 1895, at 4 o'clock P. M.

W. H. HIGH, JR., Secretary.

IF YOU WISH

To enjoy the day properly you must order your Sunday dinner from

L. C. BEEM,

New City Market

S. E. Cor. 12th and Washington Sts.

TELEPHONE 353.

LEGAL.

OFFICE OF THE Assessor of Alameda County.

POLL TAX NOTICE.

OAKLAND, March 4, 1895.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the State Poll Tax of two dollars for the year 1895, is now due and payable at my office, room 1, Courthouse, or to a Deputy Assessor.

Sec. 3839 of the Political Code reads as follows:

Every male inhabitant of the State over twenty-one and under sixty years of age, except paupers, insane persons and Indians, not taxed, must annually pay a Poll Tax of two dollars, provided the same be paid between the first Monday in March and the first Monday in July, then it shall be three dollars.

Sec. 3846 of the Political Code makes it the duty of the Assessor to "demand Poll Tax of every person liable therefor, and on the neglect or refusal of such persons to pay, he must collect by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person."

Under sections 428 and 435 every person who refuses to give his own name or the name of any person in his employ, or who in any manner obstructs the Assessor or any of his deputies in the collection of the State Poll Tax, is guilty of a misdemeanor, and liable to a fine of $500 or imprisonment in the County Jail, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Only those persons under twenty-one or over sixty years are exempt. Poll Tax must be paid on demand.

HENRY P. DALTON,
Assessor of Alameda County.

OFFICE OF THE Assessor of Alameda County.

NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS.

OAKLAND, March 4, 1895.

ALL PERSONS, FIRMS, COMPANIES, corporations and associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's office at the Court house, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, immediately, a statement under oath of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian on the FIRST MONDAY OF MARCH, 1895, in accordance with the New Constitution.

Refusal or neglect to make a sworn statement of all the property owned or held in trust will subject the person so refusing or neglecting to make such sworn statements to the full penalty of the law—one hundred dollars fine and guilty of misdemeanor.

All persons owning real estate that has heretofore been assessed in the wrong name on the Real Estate Assessment Book, or who have purchased real estate within the last year, are requested to appear, with their deeds, at the Assessor's office and have the proper changes made for the year 1895. Immediate attention is necessary, as work on the book has already been commenced.

Proper blanks may be obtained at the Assessor's office.

HENRY P. DALTON,
Assessor of Alameda County.

Children Advertised by the Ladies Relief Society of Oakland, July, 1895.

Jackson H. Rafael, m., aged 9 years; T. Blanche Rafael, f., aged 7 years; Rose M. Rafael, f., aged 4 years; William A. Rafael, m., aged 2 years; Marion Truesdale, f., aged 8 years; Frank Truesdale, m., aged 3 years; Henry Truesdale, m., aged 6 months; Margaret Solomon, f., aged 10 years.

JESSIE CAMPBELL,
Cor. Sec. L. R. S. of O.
Oakland, July 1st, 1895.

Children at the Orphanage Josephinum, Mission San Jose Alameda County, Cal.

Half Orphans—Amalie Larsen, f., age 10 years; Sallie Larsen, f., age 7 years; Mary Mohr, f., age 13 years; Ida Mohr, f., age 10 years; Mary Manning, f., age 4 years; Thomas McCartney, m., age 4 years; Annie Nicklaus, f., age 11 years; Teresa Nicklaus, f., age 10 years; Frances Nicklaus, f., age 9 years.

DIVIDEND NOTICES.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

THE OAKLAND BANK OF SAVINGS, Oakland, Cal.—For the six months ending June 30, 1895, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and one-half (4½) per cent per annum, on all savings deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Monday, July 1, 1895. Dividends not called for are added to and bear the same rate of dividend as the principal from July 1, 1895.

W. W. GARTHWAITE, Cashier.

FARMERS' & MERCHANTS' SAVINGS Bank, of Oakland, Cal.—Dividend Notice—For the six months ending June 30, 1895, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and one-half (4½) per cent per annum, on all savings deposits, payable on and after Monday, July 1st, 1895. Dividends called for are added to the principal and bear a like rate of interest. JAMES C. McKEE, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

THE UNION SAVINGS BANK, Oakland, Cal.—A dividend has been declared to depositors for the six months ending June 30, 1895, at the rate of four and one-half (4½) per cent per annum on all SAVINGS ACCOUNTS payable on and after July 1st, 1895.

A. E. H. CRAMER, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

The Home Security Building and Loan Association of Alameda county, 466 Ninth street. A semi-annual dividend for the term ending June 30, 1895, has been declared at the rate of 6½ per cent per annum, on deposits on stock, payable on and after July 15th, 1895. By order of the Board of Directors.

J. GREENHOOD, President.
Charles K. Clark, Secretary.

SUMMONS.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

HENRY W. BLANCHARD, Plaintiff,
vs.
IDA J. BLANCHARD, Defendant.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, and the complaint filed in said County of Alameda, in the office of said Clerk of said Superior Court.

The People of the State of California send greeting to Ida J. Blanchard, defendant.

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff in the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, and to answer the complaint filed therein within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after service on you of this summons, if served within this county, otherwise within thirty days.

The said action is brought to obtain a decree of this Court dissolving the bonds of matrimony now and heretofore existing between said plaintiff and defendant, upon the ground of the extreme cruelty of the defendant toward the plaintiff, special reference being made to the complaint on file herein for further particulars.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint as above required, said plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint. Plaintiff prays for general relief.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, this 8th day of June, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

(SEAL) FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By J. CAL. EWING, Deputy Clerk.
M. C. CHAPMAN, Attorney for Plaintiff, 957 Broadway, Oakland.

The Roll-Call of the Reef

BY "Q."

"Yes, sir," said my host, the quarryman, reaching down the relics from their hook in the wall over the chimney piece; "they've hung here all my time, and most of my father's. The women won't touch 'em; thy're afraid of the story. So here they'll dangle, and gather dust and smoke, till another tenant comes and tosses 'em out o' doors for rubbish. Whew! 'tis coarse weather, surely."

He went to the door, opened it and stood studying the gale that beat upon his cottage front, straight from the Manacle Reef. The rain drove past him into the kitcher, aslant like threads of gold silk in the shine of the wreck-wood fire. Meanwhile, by the same firelight I examined the relics on my knee. The metal of each was tarnished out of knowledge. But the trumpet was evidently an old cavalry trumpet, and the threads of its parti-colored sling, though frayed and dusty, still hung together. Around the side-drum, beneath its cracked brown varnish, I could hardly trace a royal coat-of-arms and a legend running, I'er Mare Per Terram—the motto of the Marines. Its parchment, though black and scented with wood smoke, was limp and mildewed, and I began to tighten up the straps—under which the drumsticks had been loosely thrust—with the idle purpose of trying if some music might be got out of the old drum yet.

But as I turned it on my knee I found the drum attached to the trumpet sling by a curious barrel-shaped padlock, and paused to examine this. The body of the lock was composed of half a dozen brass rings set accurately edge to edge; and, rubbing the brass with my thumb, I saw that each of the six had a series of letters engraved around it.

I knew the trick of it I thought. Here was one of those word padlocks, once so common; only to be opened by getting the rings to spell a certain word, which the dealer confides to you.

My host shut and barred the door and came back to the hearth.

"'Twas just such a wind—east by south—that brought in what you've got between your hands. Back in the year 'nine, it was; my father has told me the tale a score o' times. You're twisting round the rings, I see. But you'll never guess the word. Parson Kendall, he made the word and locked down a couple o' ghosts in their graves with it, and when his time came, he went to his own grave and took the word with him."

"Whose ghosts, Matthew?"

"You want the story, I see, sir. My father could tell it better than I can. He was a young man in the year 'nine, unmarried at the time, and living in this very cottage just as I be. That's how he came to get mixed up with the tale."

He took a chair, lit a short pipe, and went on, with his eyes fixed on the dancing violet flames.

"Yes, he'd ha' been about thirty year old in Januray, eighteen 'nine. The storm got up in the night o' the twenty-first o' that month. My father was dressed and out long before daylight; he never was one to hide in bed, let be that the gale by this time was pretty near lifting the thatch over his head. Besides which, he'd fenced a small 'taty patch that winter, down by Lowland Point, and he wanted to see if it stood the night's work. He took the path across Gunner's Meadow—where they buried most of the bodies afterwards. The wind was right in his teeth at the time, and once on the way (he's told me this often) a great strip of ore weed came flying though the darkness and fetched him a slap on the cheek like a cold hand. But he made shift pretty well till he got to Lowland, and then had to drop upon hands and knees and crawl, digging his fingers every now and then into the shingle to hold on, for he declared to me that the stones, some of them as big as a man's head, kept rolling and driving past till it seemed the whole foreshore was moving westward under him. The fence was gone, of course, not a stick left to show where it stood; so that, when first he came to the place, he thought he must have missed his bearings. My father, sir, was a very religious man; and if he reckoned the end of the world was at hand—there in the great wind and night, among the moving stones—you may believe he was certain of it when he heard a gun fired, and, with the same, saw a flame shoot up out of the darkness to windward, making a sudden fierce light in all the place about. All he could find to think or say was, 'The Second Coming—The Second Coming! The Bridegroom cometh, and the wicked He will toss like a ball into a large country!' and being already upon his knees, he just bowed his head and 'bided, saying this over and over.

"But by'm-by, between two squalls, he made bold to lift his head and look, and then the light—a bluish colour 'twas—he saw all the coast clear away to Manacle Point, and off the Manacles in the thick of the weather, a sloop-of-war with topgallants housed, driving stern foremost towards the reef. It was she, of course, that was burning the flare. My father could see the white streak and the ports of her quite plain as she rose to it, a little outside the breakers, and he guessed easy enough that her captain had just managed to wear ship, and was trying to force her nose to the sea with the help of her small bower anchor and the scrap or two of canvas that hadn't yet been blown out of her. But while he looked she fell off, giving her broadside to it foot by foot, and drifting back on the breakers around Carn du and the Vargos. The rocks lie so thick thereabouts that 'twas a toss up which she struck first; at any rate, my father couln't tell at the time, for just then the flare died down and went out.

"Well, sir, he turned then in the dark and started back for Coverack to cry the dismal tidings—though well knowing ship and crew to be past and hope; and as he turned the wind lifted him and tossed him forward 'like a ball,' as he'd been saying, and homeward along the foreshore. As you know, 'tis ugly work, even by daylight, picking your way among the stones there, and my father was prettily knocked about at first in the dark. But by tide 'twas nearer seven than six o'clock, and the day spreading. By the time he reached North Corner a man could see to read print, howsever he looked neither out to sea nor towards Coverack, but headed straight for the first cottage—the same that stands above North Corner today. A man named Billy Ede lived there then, and when my father burst into the kitchen bawling, 'Wreck! wreck!' he saw Billy Ede's wife, Ann, stading there in her clogs, with a shawl over her head, and her clothes wringing wet.

"'Save the chap,' says Billy Ede's wife, Ann. 'What d'ee mean by crying stale fish at that rate?'

"'But 'tis a wreck, I tell 'ee. I've a-zeed 'n!'

"'Why so 'tis,' says she 'and I've a-zeed 'n, too and so has every one with an eye in his head.'

"And with that she pointed straight over my father's shoulder, and he turned; and there, close under Dolor Point, at the end of Coverack town, he saw another wreck washing, and the point black with people, like emmets, running to and fro in the morning light. While he stood staring at her, he heard a trumpet sounded on board, the notes coming in little jerks, like a bird rising against the wind; but faintly, of course, because of the distance and the gale blowing—though this had dropped a little.

"'She's a transport,' said Billy Ede's wife, Ann, 'and full of horse soldiers, fine long men. When she struck they must ha' pitched the hosses over first to lighten the ship, for a score of dead hosses had washed in afore I left, half an hour back. An' three or four soldiers, too—fine long corpses in white breeches and jackets of blue and gold. I held a lantern to one. Such a straight young man.'

"My father asked her about the trumpeting.

"'That's the queerest bit of all. She was burnin' a light when me an' my man joined the crowd down there. All her masts had gone; whether they carried away, or were cut away to ease her, I don't know. Anyway, there she lay 'pon the rocks with her decks bare. Her keelson was broke under her and her bottom sagged and stove, and she had just settled down like a sitting hen—just the leastest list to starboard, but a man could stand there easy. They had rigged up ropes across her, from bulwark to bulwark, an' beside these the men were mustered, holding on like grim death whenever the sea made a clean breach over them, an' standing up like heroes as soon as it passed. The captain an' the officers were clinging to the rail of the quarter deck, all in their golden uniforms, waiting for the end as if 'twas King George they expected. There was no way to help, for she lay right beyond cast of line, though our folk tried it fifty times. And beside them clung a trumpeter, a whacking big man, an' between the heavy seas he would lift his trumpet with one hand, and blow a call; and every time he blew the men gave a cheer. There (she says)—hark 'ee now—there he goes agen! But you won't hear no cheering any more, for few are left to cheer, and their voices weak. Bitter cold the wind is, and I reckon it numbs their grip o' the ropes, for they were dropping off fast with every sea when my man sent me home to get his breakfast. Another wreck, you say? Well, there's no hope for the tender dears, if 'tis Manacles. You'd better run down and help yonder; though 'tis little help any man can give. Not one came in alive while I was there. The tide's flowing, an' she won't hold together another hour, they say.'

"Well, sure enough, the end was coming fast when my father got down to the point. Six men had been cast up alive, or just breathing—a seaman and five troopers. The seaman was the only one that had breath to speak; and while they were carrying him into the town, the word went round that the ship's name was the Despatch, transport, homeward bound from Corunna, with a detachment of the Seventh Hussars, that had been fighting out there with Sir John Moore. The seas had rolled her further over by this time, and given her decks a pretty sharp slope; but a dozen men still held on, seven by the ropes near the ship's waist, a couple near the break of the poop, and three on the quarter-deck. Of these three my father made out one to be the skipper; close to him clung an officer in full regimentals—his name, they heard after, was Captain Duncanfield; and last came the tall trumpeter; and if you'll believe me, the fellow was making shift there, at the very last, to blow 'God Save the King.' What's more, he got to 'Send us victorious,' before an extra big sea came bursting across and washed them off the deck—every man but one pair beneath the poop—and he dropped his hold before the next wave; being stunned, I reckon. The others went out of sight at once, but the trumpeter—being, as I said, a powerful man as well as a tough swimmer—rose rose like a duck, rode out a couple of breakers and came in on the crest of the third. The folks looked to see him broke like an egg at their feet; but when the smother cleared, there he was, lying face downward on a ledge below them; and one of the men that happened to have a rope round him—I forget the fellow's name, if ever I heard it—jumped down and grabbed him by the ankle as he began to slip back. Before the next big sea the pair were hauled high enough to be out of harm, and another heave brought them up to grass. Quick work, but master trumpeter wasn't quite dead; nothing worse than a cracked head and three staved ribs. In twenty minutes or so they had him in bed, with a doctor to tend him.

"Now was the time—nothing being left alive upon the transport—for my father to tell of the sloop he's seen driving upon the Manacles. And when he got a hearing, though the most were set upon salvage and believed a wreck in the hand, so to say, to be worth half a dozen, they couldn't see, a good few volunteered to start off with him and have a look. They crossed Lowland Point; no ship to be seen on the Manacles, nor anywhere upon the sea. One or two was for calling my father a liar. 'Wait till we come to Dean Point,' said he. Sure enough, on the far side of Dean Point they found the sloop's mainmast washing about with half a dozen men lashed to it, men in red jackets, every mother's son drowned and staring; and a little further on, just under the Dean, three or four bodies cast up on the shore, one of them a small drummer boy, side drum and all, and near by part of a ship's gig, with H. M. S. Primrose cut on the stern board. From this point on the shore was littered thick with wreckage and dead bodies—the most of them marines in uniform; and in Godrevy Cove, in particular, a heap of furniture from the captain's cabin, and amongst it a water-tight box not much damaged and full of papers, by which, when it came to be examined next day, the wreck was easily made out to be the Primrose, of eighteen guns, outward bound from Portsmouth, with a fleet of transports for the Spanish war, thirty sail. I've heard, but I've never heard what became of them. Being handled by merchant skippers, no doubt they rode out the gale, and reached the Tagus safe and sound. Not but what the captain of the Primrose (Mein was his name) did quite right to try and club-haul his vessel when he found himself under the land, only he never ought to have got there, if he took proper soundings. But it's easy talking.

"The Primose, sir, was a handsome vessel for her size, one of the handsomest in the King's service, and newly fitted out at Plymouth dock. So the boys had brave pickings from her in the way of brass work, ship's instruments and the like, let alone some barrels of stores not much spoiled. They loaded themselves with as much as they could carry and started for home, meaning to make a second journey before the preventive men got wind of their doins and came to spoil the fun. But as my father was passing back under the Dean he happened to take a look over his shoulder at the bodies there. 'Hullo!' says he, and dropped his gear. 'I do believe there's a leg moving?' and running fore, he stooped over the small drummer boy that I told you about. The poor little chap was lying there with his face a mass of bruises and his eyes closed, but he had shifted one leg an inch or two and was still breathing. So my father pulled out a knife and cut him free from his drum—that was lashed on him with a double turn of Manilla rope—and took him up and carried him along here to this very room that we're sitting in. He lost a good deal by this; for when he went back to fetch the bundle he'd dropped, the preventive men had got hold of it, and were thick as thieves along the foreshore; so that 'twas only by paying one or two to look the other way that he picked up anything worth carrying off, which you'll allow to be hard, seeing that he was the first man to give news of the wreck.

"Well, the inquiry was held, of course, and my father gave evidence, and for the rest they had to trust to the sloop's papers, for not a soul was saved besides the drummer boy, and he was raving in a fever, brought on by the cold and fright. And the seaman and the five troopers gave evidence about the loss of the Despatch. The tall trumpeter, too, whose ribs were healing, came forward and kissed the book; but somehow his head had been hurt in coming ashore, and he talked foolish like, and 'twas easy seen he would never be a proper man again. The others were taken up to Plymouth, and so went their ways; but the trumpeter stayed on in Coverack; and King George, finding he was fit for nothing, sent him down a trifle of a pension after a while—enough to keep him in board and lodging, with a bit of tobacco over.

"Now the first time that this man—William Tallifer he called himself—met with the drummer boy was about a fortnight after the little chap had bettered enough to be allowed a short walk out of doors, which he took, if you please in full regimentals. There never was a soldier so proud of his dress. His own suit had shrunk a brave bit with the salt water; but into ordinary frock an' corduroys he declared he would not get, not if he had to go naked the rest of his life; so my father—being a good-natured man, and handy with the needle—turned to and repaired damages with a piece or two of scarlet cloth cut from the jacket of one of the drowned marines. Well, the poor little chap chanced to be standing, in this rig out, down by the gate of Gunner's Meadow, where they had buried two score and over of his comrades. The morning was a fine one, early in March month; and along came the cracked trumpeter, likewise taking a stroll.

"'Hullo' says he, 'good mornin'! And what might you be doin' here?'

"'I was a-wishin',' says the boy, 'I had a pair o' drumsticks. Our lads were buried yonder without so much as drum tapped or a musket fired; and that's not Christian burial for British soldiers.'

"'P'shut!' says the trumpeter, and spat on the ground; 'a parcel of marines!'

"The boy eyed him a second or so, and answered up. 'If I'd a tab of turf handy, I'd bung it at your mouth, you greasy cavalryman and learn you to speak respectful of your betters. The marines are the handiest body o' men in the service.'

"The trumpeter looked down on him from the height of six foot two, and asked: 'Did they die well?'

"'They died very well. There was a lot of running to and fro at first, and some of the men began to cry, and a few to strip off their clothes. But when the ship fell off for the last time Capt. Mein turned and said some thing to Major Griffiths, the commanding officer on board, and the major called out to me to beat to quarters. It might have been for a wedding, he sang out so cheerful. We'd had word already that 'twas to be parade order; and the men fell in as trim and decent as if they were going to church. One of two even tried to shave at the last moment. The major wore his medals. One of the seamen, seing I had work to keep the drum steady—the sling being a bit loose for me, and the wind what you remember—lashed it tight with a piece of rope; and that saved my life afterwards, a drum being as good as a cork until it's stove. I kept beating away until every man was on deck; and then the major formed them up and told them to die like British soldiers, and the chaplain read a prayer or two—the boys stadin' all the while like rocks, each man's courage keeping up the other's. The chaplain was in the middle of a prayer when she struck. In ten minutes she was gone. That was how they died, cavalryman.'

"'And that was very well done, drummer of the marines. What's your name?'

"'John Christian.'

"'Mine's William George Tallifer, trumpeter of the Seventh light dragoons—the Queen's Own. I played "God Save the King" while our men were drowning. Captain Duncanfield told me to sound a call or two, to put them in heart; but that matter of "God Save the King" was a notion of my own. I won't say anything to hurt the feelings of a marine, even if he's not much over five foot tall; but the Queen's Own Hussars is a tearin' fine regiment. As between horse and foot, 'tis a question o' which gets the chance. All the way from Sahagun to Corunna 'twas we that took and gave the knocks—at Mayorga and Rueda, and Bennyventy.' (The reason, sir, I can speak the names so pat, is that my father learnt 'em by heart afterwards from the trumpeter, who was always talking about Mayorga and Rueda and Bennyventy.) 'We made the rear guard, under General Paget; and drove the French every time; and all the infantry did was to sit about an' play the tom-fool in general. And when it came to a stand up fight at Corunna, 'twas we that had to stay sea-sick aboard the transports an' watch the infantry in the thick of the caper. Very well they behaved, too; 'specially the 4th regiment, an' the 42nd Highlanders, an' the Dirty Harif Hundred. Oh, ay! they're decent regiments all three. But the Queen's Own Hussars is a tearin' fine regiment. So you played on your drum when the ship was goin' down? Drummer John Christian, I'll have to get you a new pair o' drum sticks for that.'

"Well, sir, it appears that the very next day the trumpeter marched into Helston and got a carpenter there to turn him a pair of box wood drumsticks for the boy. And this was the beginning of one of the most curious friendships you ever heard tell of. Nothing delighted the pair more than to borrow a boat off my father and row out to the rocks where the Primrose and the Despatch had struck and sunk; and on still days 'twas pretty to hear them out there off the Manacles, the drummer playing his tattoo — for they always took their music with them—and the trumpeter practicing calls and making his trumpet speak like an angel. But if the weather turned roughish they'd be walking together and talking; leastwise the youngster listened while the other discoursed about Sir John's campaign in Spain and Portugal, telling how each little skirmish befell, and of Sir John himself and General Baird and General Paget, and Colonel Vivian, his own commanding officer and what kind of men they were, and of the last bloody stand-up at Corunna, and so forth, as if neither of them could have enough.

"But all this had to come to an end in the late summer, for the boy, John Christian, being now well and strong again, must go to Plymouth to report himself. 'Twas his own wish, for I believe King George had forgotten all about him, but his friend wouldn't hold him back. As for the trumpeter, my father had made an arrangement to take him on as lodger as soon as the boy left, and on the morning fixed for the start he was up at the door here by 5 o'clock, with his trumpet slung by his side, and all the rest of his belongings in a small valise. A Monday morning it was, and after breakfast he had fixed to walk with the boy some way on the road toward Helston where the coach started. My father left them at breakfast together and went out to meet the pig and do a few odd morning jobs of that sort. When he came back the boy was still at table, and the trumpeter standing here by the chimney place with the drum and trumpet in his hands, hitched together just as they be at this moment.

"'Look at this,' he says to my father, showing him the lock. I picked it up off a starving brasworker in Lisbon, and it is not one of your common locks that one word of six letters will open at any time. There's genius in this lock, for you've only to make the rings spell any six-letter word you please, and snap down the lock upon that, and never a soul can open it not the maker even—until somebody comes along that knows the word you snapped it on. Now, Johnny here's goin', and he leaves his drum behind him, for though he can make pretty music on it the parchment sags in wet weather by reason of the sea water getting at it, an' if he carries it to Plymouth they'll only condemn it and give him another. And as for me, I shan't have the heart to put lip to the trumpet any more when Johnny's gone. So we've chosen a word together and locked 'em together upon taut, and by your leave I'll hang 'em here together on that hook over your fireplace. Maybe Johnny'll come back, maybe not. Maybe if he comes I'll be dead and gone an' he'll take 'em apart an' try their music for old sake's sake. But if he never comes nobody can separate 'em, for nobody beside knows the word. And if you marry and have sons you can tell 'em that here are tied together the souls of Johnny Christian drummer of the marines, and William George Tallifer, once trumpeter of the Queen's Own Hussars. Amen.

"With that he hung the two instruments 'pon the hook there, and the boy stood up and thanked my father and shook hands, and the pair went forth of the door toward Helston.

"Somewhere on the road they took leave of one another, but nobody saw the parting nor heard what was said between them. About three in the afternoon the trumpeter came walking back over the hill, and by the time my father came home from the fishing the cottage was tidied up and the tea ready and the whole place shining like a new pin. From that time for five years he lodged here with my father, looking after the house and tilling the garden. And all the while he was steadily falling the hurt in his head spreading in a manner to his limbs. My father watched the feebleness growing on him but said nothing. And from first to last neither spake a word about the drummer, John Christian; nor did any letter reach them, nor word of his doings.

"The rest of the tale you'm free to believe, sir, or not, as you please. It stands upon my father's word, and he always declared he was ready to kiss the Book upon it, before judge and jury. He said, too, that he never had the wit to make up such a yarn, and he defied any one to explain about the lock, in particular, by any other tale. But you shall judge for yourself.

"My father said that about 3 o'clock in the morning, April 14th, of the year 'fourteen, he and William Tallifer were sitting here, just as you and I, sir, are sitting now. My father had put on his clothes a few minutes before, and was mending his spiller by the light of the horn lantern, meaning to set off before daylight to haul the trammel. The trumpeter hadn't been to bed at all. Towards the last he mostly spent his nights (and his days, too) dozing in the elbow chair where you sit at this minute. He was dozin then (my father said) with his chin dropped forward on his chest, when a knock sounded upon the door, and the door opened, and in walked an upright young man in scarlet regimentals.

"He had grown a brave bit, and his face was the color of wood ashes; but it was the drummer, John Christian. Only his uniform was different from the one he used to wear, and the figures '38' shone in brass upon his collar.

"The drummer walked past my father as if he never saw him, and stood by the elbow chair and said:

"'Trumpeter, trumpeter, are you one with me?'

"And the trumpeter just lifted the lids of his eyes, and answered, 'How should I not be one with you, drummer Johnny—Johnny boy? If you come, I count; if you march, I mark time; until the discharge comes.'

"'The discharge has come tonight,' said the drummer; 'and the word is Corunna no longer.' And stepping to the chimney place he unhooked the drum and trumpet and began to twist the brass rings of the lock, spelling the word aloud, so—C-O-R-U-N-A. When he had fixed the last letter, the padlock opened in his hand.

"'Did you know, trumpeter, that when I came to Plymouth, they put me into a line regiment?'

"'The 38th is a good regiment,' answered the old Hussar, still in his dull voice; and 'I went back with them from Sahagun to Corunna. At Corunna they stood in General Fraser's division on the right. They behaved well.'

"'But I'n fain see the Marines again,' says the drummer, handing him the trumpet; 'and you, you shall call once more for the Queen's Own. Matthew,' he says, suddenly, turning on my father—and when he turned, my father saw for the first time that his scarlet jacket had a round hole by the breast bone, and that the blood was welling there—'Matthew, we shall want your boat.'

"Then my father rose on his legs like a man in a dream, while they two slung on, the one his drum, and t'other his trumpet. He took the lantern and went before them down to the shore, and they breathed heavily behind him; and they stepped into his boat, and my father pushed off.

"'Row you first for Dolor Point,' says the drummer. So my father rowed out past the white houses of Coverack to Dolor Point, and there, at a word, lay on his oars. And the trumpeter, William Tallifer, put his trumpet to his mouth and sounded the revelly. The music of it was like rivers running.

"'They will follow,' said the drummer. 'Matthew, pull you now for the Manacles.'

"So my father pulled for the Manacles, and came to an easy close outside Carn du. And the drummer took his sticks and beat a tattoo, there by the edge of the reef; and the music of it was like a rolling chariot.

"'That will do,' says he, breaking off; 'they will follow. Pull now for the shore under Gunner's Meadow.'

"Then my father pulled for the shore and ran his boat in under Gunner's Meadow. And they stepped out, all three, and walked up to the meadow. By the gate the drummer halted, and began his tattoo again, looking out toward the darkness over the sea.

"And while the drum beat, and my father held his breath, there came up out of the sea and the darkness a troop of many men, horse and foot, and formed up among the graves; and others rose out of the graves and formed up—drowned marines with bleached faces, and pale Hussars, riding their horses, all lean and shadowy. There was no clater of hoofs or accoutrements, my father said, but a soft sound all the while like the beating of a bird's wing, and a black shadow lay like a pool about the feet of all. The drummer stood upon a little knoll just inside the gate. When no more came the drummer stopped playing and said 'Call the roll.'

"Then the trumpeter stepped towards the end man of the rank and called, 'Troop Sergeant Major Thomas Irons,' and the man answered in a thin voice, 'Here.'

"'Troop Sergeant Major Thomas Irons, how is it with you?'

"The man answered, 'How should it be with me? When I was young I betrayed a girl; and when I was grown I betrayed a friend and for these things I must pay. But I died as a man ought, and save the King.'

"The trumpeter called to the next man, 'Trooper Henry Buckingham!' and the next man answered 'Here!'

"'Trooper Henry Buckingham, how is it with you?'

"'How should it be with me? I was a drunkard, and I stole, and in Lago, in a wine shop, I killed a man. But I died as a man should. God save the King.'

"So the trumpeter went down the line; and when he had finished, the drummer took it up, hailing the dead Marines in their order. Each man answered to his name, and each man ended with 'God save the King.' When all were hailed the drummer stepped back to his mound and called:

"'It is well. You are content, and we are content to join you. Wait now a little while.'

"With tels he turned and ordered my father to pick up the lantern and lead the way back. As my father picked it up, he heard the ranks of dead men cheer and call, 'God save the King!' all together, and saw them waver and fade back into the dark like a breath fading off a pane.

"But when they came back here to the kitchen and my father set the lantern down, it seemed they'd both forgot about him. For the drummer stood in the lantern light, and my father could see the blood still welling out of the hole in his breast, and took the trumpet sling from around the other's neck, and locked drum and trumpet together again, choosing the letters on the lock very carefully. While he did this, he said:

"'The word is no more Corunna, but Bayonne. As you left out an "n" in Corunna, so must I leave out an "n" in Bayonne.' And before snapping the padlock, he spelt out that word slowly—'B-A-Y-O-N-E.' After that, he used no more speech, but turned and hung the two instruments back on the hook, and then took the trumpeter by the arm, and the pair walked out into the darkness, glancing neither to right nor left.

"My father was on the point of following, when he heard a sort of sigh behind him, and there, sitting in the elbow chair, was the very trumpeter he had just seen walk out by the door. If my father's heart jumped before, you may believe it jumped quicker now. But after a bit, he went up to the man asleep in the chair and put a hand upon him. It was the trumpeter in flesh and blood that he touched, but though the flesh was warm the trumpeter was dead.

"Well, sir, they buried him three days after, and at first my father was minded to say nothing about his dream, as he thought it. But the day after the funeral he met Parson Kendall coming from Helston market, and the parson called out: 'Have'ee heard the news the coach brought down th's mornin'? 'What news?' says my father. 'Why, that peace is agreed upon.' 'None too soon,' says my father. 'Not soon enough for our poor lads at Bayonne,' the parson answered. 'Bayonne!' cries my father with a jump. 'Why, yes,' and the parson told him all about a great sally the French had made on the night of April 13th. 'Do you happen to know if the 38th Regiment was engaged?' my father asked. 'Come, now, said Parson Kendall, 'I didn't know you was so well up in the campaign.' 'But as it happens I do know that the 38th was engaged, for 'twas they that held a cottage and stopped the French advance.'

"Still my father held his tongue, and when, a week later, he walked into Helston and bought a Mercury off the Sherborne rider, and got the landlord of the 'Angel' to spell out the list of killed and wounded, sure enough, there among the killed was Drummer John Christian of the 38th Foot.

"After this there was nothing for a religious man but to make a clean breast. So my father went up to Parson Kendall and told the whole story. The parson listened and put a question or two, and then asked:

"'Have you tried to open the lock since that night?'

"'I hain't dared to touch it,' says my father.

"'Then come along and try.' When the parson came to the cottage here, he took the things off the hook and tried the lock. 'Did he say Bayonne? The word has seven letters.'

"'Not if you spell it with one "n" as he did,' says my father.

"The parson spelt it out—B-A-Y-O-N-E. 'Whew!' says he, for the lock had fallen open in his hand.

"He stood considering for a minute, and then he says: 'I tell you what. I shouldn't blab this all 'round the parish, if I was you. You won't get no credit for truth-telling, and a miracle's wasted on a set of fools. But if you like, I'll shut down the lock again upon a holy word that no one but me shall know, and neither drummer nor trumpeter, dead nor alive, shall frighten the secret out of me.'

"'I wish to heaven you would, parson,' said my father.

"The parson chose the holy word there and then, and shut the lock back upon it, and hung the drum and trumpet back in their place. He is gone long since, taking the word with him. And till the lock is broken by force nobody will ever separate those two."

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Prentiss Selby is spending a week in Menlo Park.

Charles Townsend has gone on a bicycle tour through the interior of the state.

Miss L. McCulloch is camping with friends at Point Arena.

W. S. Phelan has gone to Ukiah for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Magee and family are spending their vacation in Yosemite Valley.

Miss Emily Raymond departed last week for a fortnight's sojourn in Redwood Canyon.

Charles R. Yates is passing his vacation hunting and fishing in Shasta county.

Mrs. Carrie Fross-Snyder is the guest of friends in Vallejo.

Miss Anne Marie Von Ahnen left yesterday for her home near Calistoga. She is a graduate of the May '95 class at Snell Seminary.

The Oakland contingent at Mendenhall Springs was strengthened by the following arrivals last week: James L. Crittenden, Alfred Crittenden, Mrs. J. L. Crittenden, L. Crittenden, Mary Madden, Mrs. J. L. McCoy, Miss Nina Crittenden, Miss Carrie Grosshaus, Mrs. A. M. Rosborough, Alex J. Rosborough, Miss Helen Gardner, J. R. Johnson, D. Sieberg and wife, Miss G. Sieberg, W. W. Quinn, J. A. Young, Mrs. J. W. Nelson, Helen Nelson, Alice Nelson, Margaret Nelson, L. Jones, Mrs. E. Jerome, Ethel Jerome, Mrs. D. Peters, A. Gates, Mrs. F. H. Brunning, G. W. Cook, Miss Cook, Nellie Cook, M. Marcuse, J. W. Nelson, H. Abrahamson, Mrs. H. Abrahamson.

Mrs. R. W. Whitney of Fresno will spend the summer in Oakland with her aunt, Mrs. William Hadfield.

E. L. Steck of this city is spending a few days in Downeville.

Miss Mickie of Oakland is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Collins in Los Gatos.

Miss Mary Maupin of Fresno is visiting friends here.

Mrs. E. M. Pugh and daughter are visiting Mrs. Fred Pugh in Napa.

Miss Tillie Isle of Oakland is a visitor at Fresno.

Harry Travers and George Tirrethen are spending a month in camping in Mendocino and Humboldt counties.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Kahn, S. Rees, A. E. Alexander, Miss Lillie Pierson, Fresca Grice and Minnie Cangelaire are at Paraiso Springs.

The wedding of Miss Arcellie Duncombe and William Knightly, will take place on July 20th.

Mrs. E. A. Strong left yesterday for a month in the Sierras with friends from Washoe Valley.

Mrs. E. A. Leiser [illegible] at Twin Lakes.

Dr. and Mrs. [illegible] Swenk went to Marysville last week.

J. N. Hinton [illegible] has gone to Tucson, Arizona, on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Marshall have returned from a wheel trip to Lake Tahoe.

Mrs. A. M. Walker, Miss Daisy Walker, Miss Mamie Duffy, Miss [illegible] and Miss Hettie Walker are spending two weeks at Pacific Grove.

Mr. J. W. Ballard's daughter and niece, Miss Morse of Claremont, are in Ukiah for a few weeks.

Charles Quincey and Charles Ingebol are camping in Mendocino county.

Dr. Martin J. Dunn, Mr. Dunn, and Miss L. Leonard of [illegible] are to Paso Robles for a few weeks' vacation.

Miss Madeline [illegible] of 1[illegible] Twelfth street is spending her vacation in the country, with friends.

Mrs. Charles [illegible] of 923 Poplar street is ill at the Force.

Camping along the Santa Cruz Lagoon is heartily enjoyed by people in Oakland pleasure seekers. Fishing and hunting are the chief amusements, though the domestic bills of camp life is also an attraction. At Pleasanton the season is at its height. While the Rose hotel is not yet quite full still there are many Oakland people there who are spending a joyous season. Among the recent arrivals are J. Kitchen, F. Mitchell, W. Byone, August Neumeister, B. Morris, Charles H. Erquine, T. Knowles, [illegible] A. Mack, Mr. and Mrs. Beach, Miss Eloise Underwood, C. F. Pugh, J. Butler, T. P. Strong, Miss Lillie Strong, Miss Georgie Strong, Clove Dean, Dr. Houghland and others.

Miss May McLean is at Tahoe.

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